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IOWA GYMNASTICS

2016 MEDIA GUIDE

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Department of Athletics is to provide the administrative and coaching support, facilities, resources, and equipment necessary for student-athletes to graduate from The University of Iowa while participating in broad-based championship caliber athletic competition. The overall well-being of the participant and integrity of the program will be paramount in all that we do.

UNIVERSITY QUICK FACTS

Location:Iowa City, Iowa
 Founded:1847
 Enrollment:31,065
 School Colors:Black and Gold
 Nickname:Hawkeyes
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Date	Opponent	Location	Time
12/5/15	Black & Gold Intrasquad #	Iowa City, Iowa	11 a.m.
1/2/16	at Cancun	Cancun, Mexico	7:15 p.m.
1/9/16	vs. Northern Illinois	Iowa City, Iowa	4 p.m.
1/15/16	at Michigan State *	East Lansing, Mich.	6 p.m.
1/18/16	vs. Denver	Iowa City, Iowa	2 p.m.
1/23/16	vs. Ohio State *	Iowa City, Iowa	7 p.m.
1/31/16	at Maryland *	College Park, Md.	1 p.m.
2/6/16	vs. Nebraska *	Iowa City, Iowa	4 p.m.
2/13/16	at Illinois *	Champaign, Ill.	4 p.m.
2/20/16	vs. Towson	Iowa City, Iowa	4 p.m.
2/27/16	at Denver	Denver, Colo.	7 p.m.
3/4/16	at Iowa State	Ames, Iowa	6:30 p.m.
3/12/16	Big Five Meet *	University Park, Pa.	12 p.m.
3/19/16	Big Ten Championships *	Lincoln, Neb.	TBA
4/2/16	NCAA Regional	Iowa City, Iowa	4 p.m.
4/15/16	NCAA Championships	Fort Worth, Texas	TBA
4/16/16	NCAA Championships	Fort Worth, Texas	TBA
4/17/16	NCAA Championships	Fort Worth, Texas	TBA

All times listed Central, and are subject to change.

BIG  **WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS**



BREAKDOWN BY CLASS

FRESHMEN (7)

Misty-Jade Carlson
Nicole Chow
Sydney Hogan
Maria Ortiz
Rose Piorkowski
Lexy Wadsworth
Tessa Walsh

SOPHOMORES (6)

Ashley Fischer
Jori Robertson
Megan Ruzicka
Lanie Snyder
Nikki Youd
Melissa Zurawski

JUNIORS (6)

Savannah Borman
Mollie Drenth
Ashleigh Edlin
Caroline McCrady
Angel Metcalf
Lexi Mura

SENIORS (3)

Opua Calucag
Alie Glover
Johanny Sotillo

2015 ROSTER

Name	Events	Yr.	Hometown
Savannah Borman	Floor, Beam, Vault	Jr.	Chesapeake, Va.
Opua Calucag	Bars, Beam, Floor	Sr.	South Pasadena, Calif.
Misty-Jade Carlson	All-Around	Fr.	Portland, Ore.
Nicole Chow	All-Around	Fr.	Port Coquitlam, B.C.
Mollie Drenth	All-Around	Jr.	Riverview, Fla.
Ashleigh Edlin	All-Around	Jr.	Woodlawn, Tenn.
Ashley Fischer	All-Around	So.	St. Louis, Mo.
Alie Glover	All-Around	Sr.	Destin, Fla.
Sydney Hogan	Beam, Floor	Fr.	Waterloo, Iowa
Caroline McCrady	All-Around	Jr.	Eagan, Minn.
Angel Metcalf	All-Around	Jr.	Swansboro, N.C.
Lexi Mura	All-Around	Jr.	Caseyville, Ill.
Maria Ortiz	All-Around	Fr.	Fort Myers, Fla.
Rose Piorkowski	All-Around	Fr.	Panama City, Fla.
Jori Robertson	Floor, Beam, Vault	So.	Iowa City, Iowa
Megan Ruzicka	All-Around	So.	Plainfield, Ill.
Lanie Snyder	All-Around	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Johanny Sotillo	All-Around	RS Sr.	Valencia, Venezuela
Lexy Wadsworth	Beam, Floor	Fr.	Kalona, Iowa
Tessa Walsh	All-Around	Fr.	Naperville, Ill.
Nikki Youd	All-Around	So.	Panama City, Fla.
Melissa Zurawski	Bars, Beam, Floor	So.	Darien, Ill.

Head Coach: Larissa Libby (12th season)

Assistant Coaches: Caleb Phillips (eighth season), Jennifer Green (second season)

Athletic Trainer: Sam Streit

Administrative Assistants: Bailey Ryan, Kadi Knuth

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Opua Calucag...uh-POO-ah, GAL-ew-cang
Rose Piorkowski...PEE-or-Cow-ski
Johanny Sotillo...So-Tee-Oh


2015 RESULTS (7-9 OVERALL, 3-7 BIG TEN)

Event	Result
at #3 LSU	L, 197.123-193.300
Ball State, #22 Michigan State	2/3 (194.425)
at #20 Ohio State	L, 195.225-196.200
Maryland	W, 195.725-195.275
at #7 Nebraska	L, 195.175-197.325
#15 Illinois	L, 196.370-196.970
at #17 Denver, BYU	2/3 (195.850)
at #14 Minnesota, New Hampshire	1/3 (195.000)
Iowa State	W, 195.775-195.175
Big Five Meet	4/5 (196.425)
Big Ten Championships	5/10 (196.500)
NCAA Regionals	5/6 teams (194.475)

NCAA REGIONALS

Event	Score
Vault	49.075
Bars	48.750
Beam	49.125
Floor	47.725
All-Around	194.675

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Team	Points
1. Michigan	197.825
2. Illinois	197.350
3. Nebraska	196.875
4. Penn State	196.725
5. Iowa	196.500
6. Minnesota	196.450
7. Maryland	196.075
8. Michigan State	195.650
9. Ohio State	195.250
10. Rutgers	193.125

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN HONOREES

Sydney Hoerr
Caroline McCrady
Opua Calucag
Caitlin Tanzer

ALL-CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

Sydney Hoerr
Alie Glover
Mollie Drenth
Angel Metcalf

LETTERWINNERS

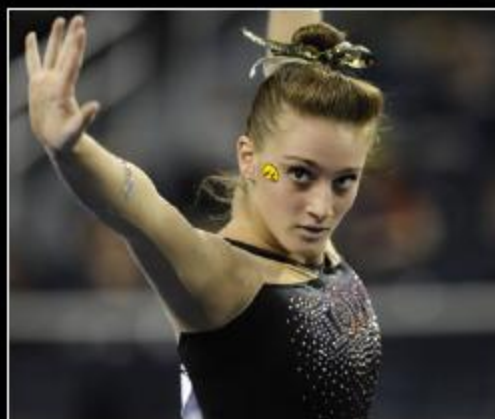
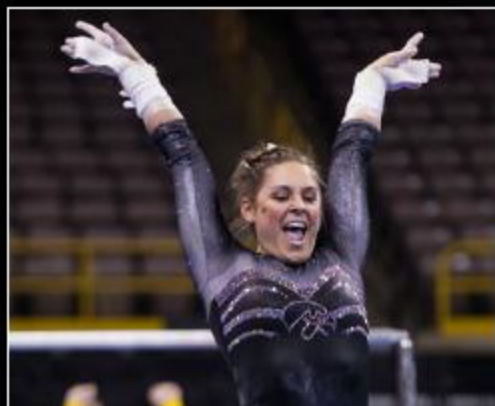
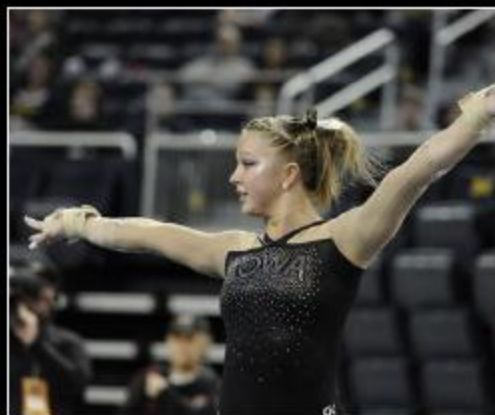
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Caitlin Tanzer
Nikki Youd
Melissa Zurawski
Jessica Morreale
Emma Willis

SEASON BESTS

Name	V	UB	BB	FX	AA
Mollie Drenth	---	9.925	9.900	9.875	39.175
Ashleigh Edlin	9.875	---	9.800	9.850	---
Ashley Fischer	9.825	---	---	---	---
Alie Glover	9.925	---	9.875	9.900	---
Sydney Hoerr	9.850	9.925	9.850	9.925	39.350
Maryah Huntley	---	---	---	9.825	---
Caroline McCrady	9.800	---	---	---	---
Angel Metcalf	9.900	9.900	9.900	9.900	39.400
Lexi Mura	---	9.850	---	---	---
Johanny Sotillo	---	9.900	9.850	---	---
Caitlin Tanzer	---	---	9.725	---	---
Nikki Youd	---	---	9.800	9.775	---
Melissa Zurawski	---	9.875	---	---	---
Team	49.275	49.325	49.100	49.375	196.500

INDIVIDUAL TEAM LEADERS

Event	Athlete	Mark	Competition
Vault	Alie Glover	9.925	Big Ten Championships (3/21)
Uneven Bars	Mollie Drenth	9.925	Big Five Meet (3/14)
Balance Beam	Angel Metcalf	9.900	at # 20 Ohio State (1/24)
Floor Exercise	Sydney Hoerr	9.925	#22 MSU, BSU (1/18)
All-Around	Angel Metcalf	39.400	#15 Illinois (2/14)



NCAA REGIONAL:

The University of Iowa women's gymnastics team capped its season in NCAA Regional action at Auburn Arena in Auburn, Alabama, on April 4. It marked the program's seventh postseason berth in the last eight years.

Three senior GymHawks -- Sydney Hoerr, Johanny Sotillo, and Caitlin Tanzer-- ended their collegiate careers leading Iowa to a fifth place regional finish and a score of 194.475. Five GymHawks placed in the top 15 for individual events. Sophomore Mollie Drenth posted a score of 9.825 on bars, good enough to secure a ninth place finish. Sophomore Angel Metcalf and Sotillo both posted a 9.800 to tie for 12th.

Junior Alie Glover led the GymHawks on beam, posting a season high score of 9.875 and placing ninth overall. Hoerr and Sotillo both tallied a 9.850 to tie for 12th. Glover also paced the GymHawks on floor, placing 10th with a score of 9.800. Metcalf represented Iowa in the all-around, posting a 39.175 to finish fifth. Drenth finished eighth (39.050), while Hoerr took 13th (38.250) on the event.

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP:

Iowa women's gymnastics posted a season high score of 196.500 at the Big Ten Championships on March 21. The GymHawks finished first in the morning session and fifth overall -- the team's best championship team result since 2010. Iowa's performance marked the highest team score for the program at the Big Ten Championships since March 20, 2004. Six conference teams entered the Big Ten Championships ranked in the GymInfo Top 25 poll; Michigan paced the conference at No. 6, followed by No. 10 Nebraska, No. 11 Penn State, No. 16 Illinois, No. 19 Minnesota and No. 24 Iowa. Despite the tough competition, five GymHawks tallied a total of 10 season best scores. Seven GymHawks also placed in the top 26 during the competition.

HOLDING STEADY IN THE RANKINGS:

Iowa was ranked in the top 25 for six consecutive weeks during the 2015 season. The GymHawks ended the season ranked No. 23 nationally, marking the program's first Top 25 ranking since 2012. There are 80 women's gymnastics teams in the nation. The GymHawks closed the season ranked 16th as a team on the uneven bars (49.175 average score) and 21st on beam (49.010).

FIVE GYMHAWKS NAMED TO ALL-CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

Five GymHawks received individual conference awards following the Big Ten Championship. Sophomore Mollie Drenth, junior Alie Glover, senior Sydney Hoerr, and sophomore Angel Metcalf were all named to the All-Championship Team, while junior Opua Calucag collected the Sportsmanship Award. Iowa has only had one other gymnast named to the All-Championship Team (Emma Stevenson, 2012) in program history.

DRENTH NAMED BIG TEN SPECIALIST OF THE WEEK:

Sophomore Mollie Drenth earned the first Big Ten Event Specialist of the Week accolade of her career on March 16, 2015, after capturing an event title on bars (9.925) in Big Five meet competition. She recorded a win on beam for the Hawkeyes with a career best score of 9.900. In addition, Drenth finished eighth on floor with a 9.800 effort. The Riverview, Florida,



TOUGH COMPETITION, BIG WINS:

The GymHawks posted a season high score of 195.725 and collected a come-from-behind win over Maryland on January 30. Iowa trailed its Big Ten foe until a season high team score on beam (49.025) moved the GymHawks into the lead. The GymHawks finished the competition with a solid performance on floor, clinching the win.

The GymHawks defeated Iowa State by a close margin on March 6. Iowa edged its in-state rival 195.775- 195.175 inside Carver-Hawkeye Arena at the team's home finale and Senior Night. Three senior GymHawks -- Sydney Hoerr, Caitlin Tanzer, Johnny Sotillo-- ended their careers on a high note and earned a total of five career bests on the night. The win marked the first time the Hawkeyes have topped the Cyclones since March 8, 2013.

Despite the stress from last minute schedule changes due to inclement weather, the GymHawks dominated in a tri-meet against No. 14 Minnesota and New Hampshire on February 28. Iowa managed to take the lead after the second rotation and held on to it for the win. It was Iowa's first win over the Golden Gophers since Feb 22, 2013.

Overall, the GymHawks collected eight conference wins this season against Minnesota (twice), Maryland (twice), Rutgers (twice), Michigan State, and Ohio State. Last season, the GymHawks collected a single conference win against Michigan State at the Big Ten Championships on March 22, 2014.

HOERR TABBED SECOND TEAM ALL-BIG TEN:

Senior Sydney Hoerr was named Second Team All-Big Ten for the second year in a row, the conference office announced March 17. Twenty-three gymnasts were honored -- 12 to the conference's first team and 11 to the second team. All-Big Ten selections are determined by regional qualifying scores. Hoerr has registered the top score for Iowa on floor this year with a 9.925 against Iowa State on March 6. She has competed in all 10 meets, appearing in the all-around nine times. Hoerr is nationally ranked in three events to lead Iowa, including 26th on floor (9.895), 46th in the all-around (39.075), and 65th on bars (9.845). The Bloomington, Illinois, native appeared on the Big Ten Gymnasts to Watch List in preseason and is also an Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

FOUR GYMHAWS NAMED ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN:

Seniors Sydney Hoerr and Caitlin Tanzer, junior Opua Calucag, and sophomore Caroline McCrady were named Academic All-Big Ten honorees in 2015. Hoerr, a Bloomington, Illinois, native is a health and human physiology major. Tanzer is a business major from Naperville, Illinois, Calucag is a health and human physiology major from Southern Pasadena, California, and McCrady studies pre-business and is a native of Eagan, Minnesota.

IOWA SELECTED TO HOST 2016 NCAA REGIONAL

The University of Iowa and Carver-Hawkeye Arena have been selected to host a 2016 NCAA Regional (April 2, 2016) in women's gymnastics. Iowa last hosted an NCAA Regional in 2009.



METCALF, HOERR NAMED TO BIG TEN WATCH LIST:

Angel Metcalf and Sydney Hoerr were named to the 2015 Big Ten Gymnasts to Watch List in the preseason. Metcalf, one of six sophomores to make the list, hails from Swansboro, North Carolina. She captured her third all-around title in 2014 against No. 20 Ohio State on Feb. 14 in Iowa's annual Pink Meet. Metcalf improved her all-around score to 39.325. She previously posted a season best at Georgia (39.100). Metcalf received a bid to NCAA Regionals with five of her teammates in 2014 to compete in the all-around. She competed in 12 meets as a freshman, nine for the all-around title. Metcalf posted her best all-around score of 39.325 twice in 2014.

Hoerr, who was also featured on the 2014 Big Ten Watch List, is a senior from Bloomington, Illinois. The 2014 second team All-Big Ten honoree registered Iowa's individual season bests on the uneven bars (9.900 at Iowa State, March 7) and floor exercise (9.875 at Georgia, January 20). She competed in all 12 meets her junior season including NCAA Regionals, and competed in the all-around in seven competitions. Hoerr led Iowa on the bars with a regional qualifying score of 9.855, tying for 54th nationally. Hoerr was also an Academic All-Big Ten honoree in 2014.

HAWKEYE NEWCOMERS:

The Hawkeyes welcomed six newcomers -- Ashley Fischer, Lanie Snyder, Melissa Zurawski, Nikki Youd, Jori Robertson, and Megan Ruzicka -- to the 2015 squad.

Fischer competed in 9 of the 12 meets this season on vault. Her season best is a 9.825 that she tallied twice, once against Denver and BYU on February 21 and at the Auburn Regional on April 4.

Zurawski saw action in all 12 meets this season on bars, posting her season-best of 9.875 at the Big Five meet on March 14.

Youd competed on vault, beam, and floor in the seven meets before her injury this season. Her season best on vault was collected against LSU on January 9 (9.700), beam against Ball State and Michigan State on January 18 (9.800), and beam against Illinois on February 14 (9.775).

Iowa also welcomed new additions to the coaching staff. Assistant coach Jennifer Green came to Iowa after serving as an assistant coach at the University of Missouri for two years. Assistant coach Caleb Phillips returns to Iowa, where he previously served in the same capacity from 2008-13.



IOWA GYMNASTICS PROGRAMS ENJOY RENOVATION OPPORTUNITIES

BY: Jil Price

IOWA CITY, Iowa — After training in alternate facilities throughout the competition season, the University of Iowa men's and women's gymnastics programs have moved into and are enjoying their newly renovated and expanded practice facility inside the UI Field House.

The project — which began in December — doubles the footprint of the former facility, provides an elite training environment, and allows Hawkeye student-athletes to expand their skill sets safely.

"It's fantastic and it's great to see it in use by the student-athletes," Director of Athletics Gary Barta said. "My philosophy first starts with great people; Larissa Libby and JD Reive are great leaders. They recruit men and women who want to come here and share our values. But then you have to give them the tools. That's been the missing ingredient."

"They've been doing it with one hand tied behind their backs because the facility was aged. Now it is more than twice the size, the ventilation and lighting is better, and the coaches had the opportunity to design the landing areas and the runways. It's phenomenal."

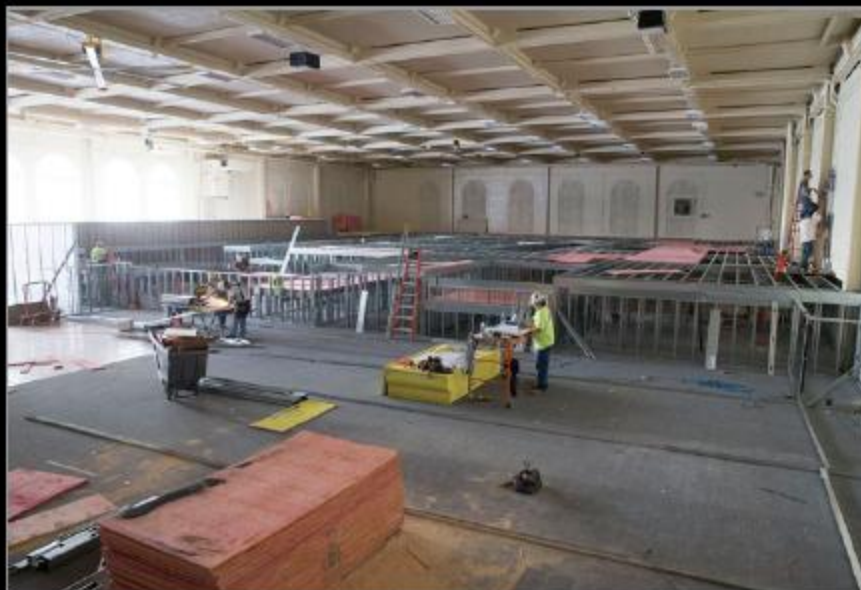
Both head coaches are excited for the benefits the upgraded facility has already provided for their respective programs. The investment the athletic department at Iowa has made in the sport of gymnastics is a difference maker in many ways.

The women's program, which earned its seventh NCAA Regional berth in the last eight seasons in 2014-15 and saw great success at the Big Ten Championship, posting its highest team score since 2004 and best team result since 2010, is excited to use the facility as a spring board to the next level.

"It's been such a blessing to hear Iowa is 100 percent supporting women's gymnastics," head women's coach Larissa Libby said. "In a time where rules are changing and things are changing everywhere, you want to hear that. You want to hear that your athletic department has your back and is supporting your student-athletes and helping expand those opportunities."

"It makes a world of difference to how we approach every day, how we approach recruiting, and that in itself has been amazing. To be able to say before these are the drawings, and now here it is in such a short time has already opened doors for us. We couldn't be more excited and feel very blessed to have that support."

The men's team is equally excited to reach higher heights after making a national statement in 2014-15 with a sixth place team result at the NCAA Championship and seeing its sixth student-athlete in the last five seasons garner All-America accolades.



"It's motivating," head men's coach JD Reive said. "There is so much we want to do in our world of men's gymnastics. For the administration to make this investment is a huge nod of trust, which we are grateful for. We put a lot of work and energy into this, so having them provide this opportunity for us and these resources; we couldn't ask for more than that."

Hawkeye student-athletes in the gym have taken a 'kid in a candy store' approach and the excitement surrounding the renovation has created quite the buzz. They are taking advantage of the new additions, using foam pits and trampolines to grow and advance their skill sets.

"They act like they've never been in a gym with a pit before, it's just been a long time for some of them," Libby said. "They're full of pure exhilaration and excitement. I keep saying the word opportunities, but that's what it provides. It expands opportunities on so many levels for us. What could be and the potential is so exciting right now."

"They came in and started doing things they've wanted to do for years, but we didn't have the means or the capacity to do safely," Reive said. "They immediately started doing them and it was fun to see. Even I didn't foresee the fact that they would do new skills we were hoping they would learn this summer in a week. The environment is intense, but at the same time it is open to learning some new things that we haven't had the chance to do at Iowa."

Barta along with associate athletic director and gymnastics sport administrator Mark Jennings echo the sentiments of the coaches and reference the immense potential the facility provides for each team to win, graduate and do it right.

"It gives us a chance to set our sights on the highest level," Barta added. "The Big Ten Conference is competitive in every sport and gymnastics is no exception. (This facility) gives us a chance to compete against the best and shoot for the goal of winning a Big Ten Championship and beyond."

"With a lot of help and Gary Barta behind it, we now have this fabulous facility," Jennings said. "I think it will have the entire country and the gymnastics world talking about the commitment that the University of Iowa has for men's and women's gymnastics. It will help in performance, recruiting, and I think the sky is the limit for gymnastics at the University of Iowa."

While the facility is currently in use, it is only in phase one. Phase two involves adding signage and making it feel like home for the Black and Gold. Iowa will be launching a capital campaign soon to fund the addition of these elements.

The Hawkeyes look forward to paying homage to their past by displaying banners for All-Americans, academic award winners, team championships, and more. Showing their historical significance proudly in the facility will serve as a reminder of where the programs have been and will allow them to set their sights on where they intend to go in the future.





THE BASICS

Six gymnasts perform on each of the four events: vault, uneven bars, balance beam, and floor exercise. The five highest scores per event comprise the cumulative team total. Top teams score above 195 out of a perfect score of 200.

Each routine has a start value of 9.5. In order to reach a maximum start value of 10.0, the gymnast must earn bonus points for difficult skills and combinations. The difficulty of skills are ranked from A-E, with "E" being the most difficult. A "D" skill is worth one-tenth of bonus points, while an "E" element is worth two-tenths of bonus. The gymnast also receives bonus for performing a connection of skills, called combination bonus.

JUDGING

Uneven bars, balance beam, and floor exercise are judged with a rating system evaluating each element on the following scale:

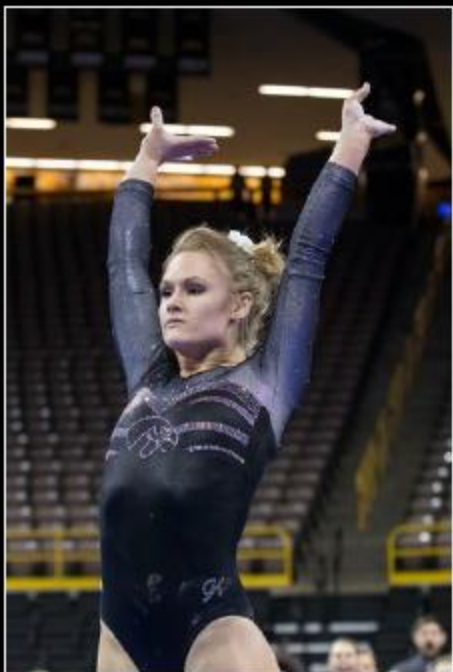
- A - basic element
- B - element with partial difficulty
- C - element with higher difficulty
- D - element with very high difficulty
- E - element with highest difficulty

Routines require the following to start from a 9.5 base value: 3 "A" elements, 3 "B" elements, and two "C" elements.

SPECIAL DEDUCTIONS

- * Out of bounds on the floor exercise, -0.1 each time
- * Overtime in balance beam routine (over 90 seconds), -0.2
- * Fall off apparatus, -0.5 each time
- * Wobble on beam, -0.1 to -0.3, depending on degree of wobble
- * An extra step on landing, -0.1
- * Insufficient artistry of presentation, up to -0.3
- * Relaxed posture throughout the exercise, up to -0.2





VAULT

Vaulting requires speed, quickness and explosive power. The gymnast is allowed to perform only one vault, with the exception of NCAA Championship vault final qualifications. Vaults have assigned maximum difficulty ranging from 8.6 to 10.0. Deductions are taken for technical errors in four phases: the approach, contact with the vaulting table, height and distance from the table, and the landing. Specific deductions include up to 0.5 for body position faults, 0.1-0.4 for steps on the landing, and up to 0.3 for an off-center landing. Additionally, if the coach assists the athlete at any time during the vault, the athlete will receive a score of 0.0. Some common vaults in collegiate competition include:

Roundoff back handspring, layout.....	9.80 start value
Roundoff back handspring, layout half twist.....	10.0 start value
Roundoff back handspring, layout full twist.....	10.0 start value
Handspring front tuck.....	9.80 start value
Handspring front tuck half twist.....	9.90 start value
Handspring front tuck full twist.....	10.0 start value
Handspring front pike.....	9.90 start value
Tsukahara layout.....	9.80 start value
Tsukahara layout half twist.....	10.0 start value
Tsukahara layout full twist.....	10.0 start value
Roundoff half twist on, front tuck.....	9.90 start value
Roundoff half twist on, front pike.....	10.0 start value

UNEVEN BARS

This event combines the gymnast's strength and agility as the gymnast must maintain a flowing and consistent rhythm. A bar routine must include a mount, two release moves, a directional change, and a dismount. Bonus points are awarded through release moves, dismounts, and performing difficult elements in a series.

BALANCE BEAM

The balance beam is 16 feet long, four feet high, and only four inches wide. Performing on the beam requires precise movement and intense concentration. A beam routine should be between 70 and 90 seconds long and include a tumbling series, a leap series, a mount and a dismount.

Composition Requirements:

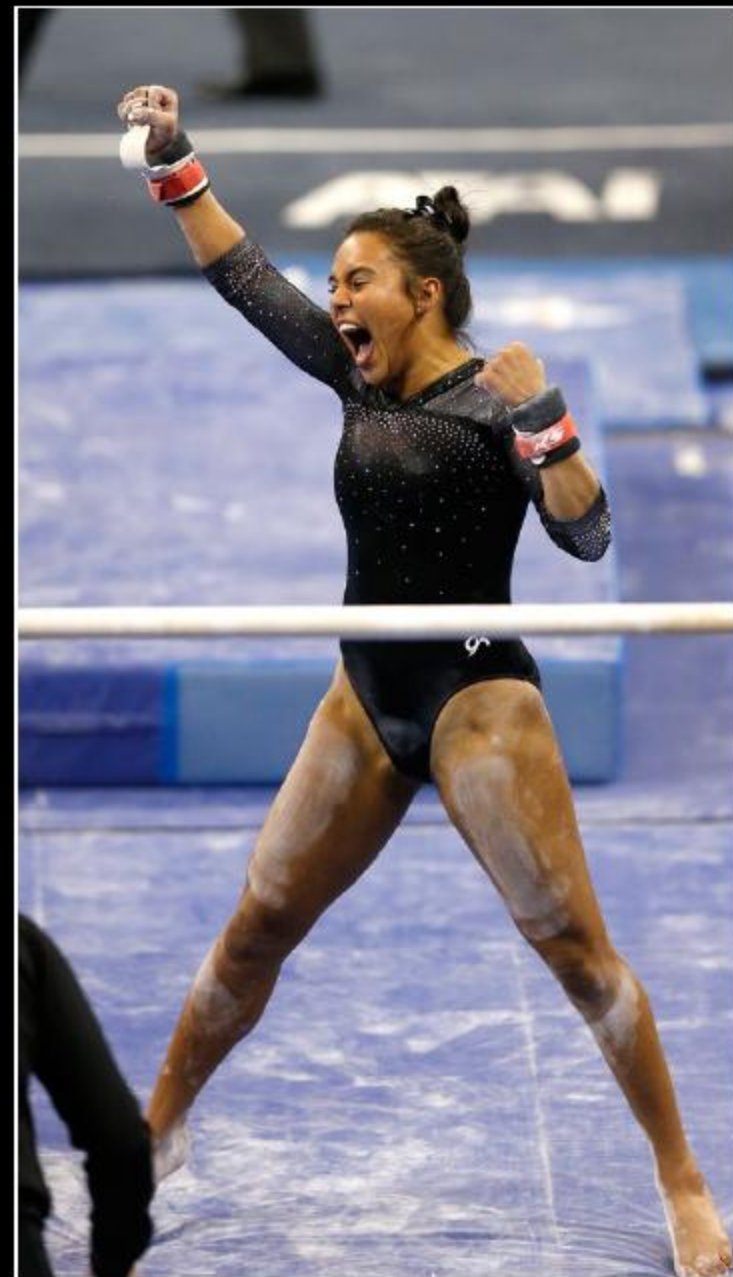
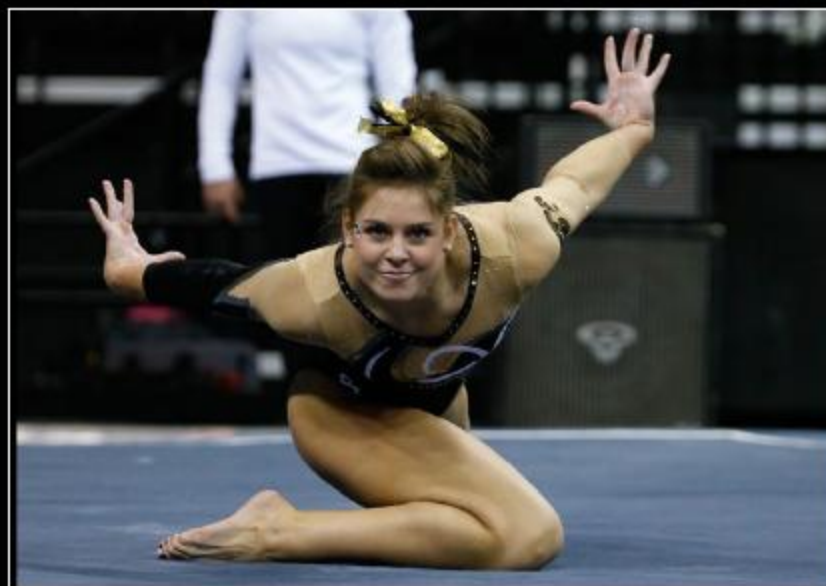
- * Full turn
- * Large leap or jump (180 degree split)
- * Acrobatic series with two or more flight skills
- * Dance series
- * Minimum of a "C" level dismount

FLOOR EXERCISE

This is the "glamour" event in women's gymnastics that combines tumbling, dance, and interpretation of music. Floor routines must contain at least two tumbling passes (one with two flips) and a series of two leaps all choreographed to music. Floor exercise has become not only one of the most beautiful of athletic events, but one of the most daring and exciting as well.

Composition Requirements:

- * Dance series with two elements
- * Two tumbling series with one having at least two saltos
- * Three different saltos within the exercise
- * Minimum of "C" level dismount in combination or "D" level skill



**LARISSA LIBBY**HEAD COACH
12TH SEASON

Larissa Libby enters her 12th year as head coach, and 16th year overall, at the University of Iowa in 2015-16.

In 2015, the GymHawks were selected for NCAA Regional competition, marking the program's seventh postseason berth in the last eight years. Five GymHawks placed in the top 15 for individual events, leading Iowa to a fifth place regional finish and a score of 194.475. Libby coached the GymHawks to a season high score of 196.500 at the Big Ten Championships -- the team's best championship team result since 2010. Iowa's performance also marked the highest team score for the program at the Big Ten Championships since March 20, 2004. Under Libby, Iowa was ranked in the top 25 for six consecutive weeks during the 2015 season. The GymHawks ended the season ranked No. 23 nationally, marking the program's first Top 25 ranking since 2012. Libby led sophomores Mollie Drenth and Angel Metcalf, junior Alie Glover, and senior Sydney Hoerr, to earn spots on the All-Championship Team. Libby is also responsible for the only other gymnast named to the All-Championship Team (Emma Stevenson, 2012) in program history.

Libby coached Iowa to a close victory over its in-state rival 195.775- 195.175 inside Carver-Hawkeye Arena at the team's home finale and Senior Night. The win marked the first time the Hawkeyes have topped the Cyclones since March 8, 2013. Overall, the GymHawks collected eight conference wins this season against Minnesota (twice), Maryland (twice), Rutgers (twice), Michigan State, and Ohio State. Last season, the GymHawks collected a single conference win against Michigan State at the Big Ten Championships on March 22, 2014. In addition to the team's accomplishments, Libby coached senior Sydney Hoerr to Second Team All-Big Ten for the second year in a row, helped sophomore Mollie Drenth earn Big Ten Event Specialist of the Week -- making Drenth the first to earn a weekly conference honor since Feb. 11, 2013, and led seniors Sydney Hoerr and Caitlin Tanzer, junior Opua Calucag, and sophomore Caroline McCrady to Academic All-Big Ten honors.

In 2014, six Hawkeyes were selected for NCAA Regional competition. Sophomore Alie Glover, freshman Angel Metcalf, and junior Sydney Hoerr were selected as all-around competitors, while freshman Jordyn Doherty was chosen to compete on vault and freshman Mollie Drenth competed on floor. Sophomore Maryah Huntley was selected as the alternate behind Drenth on floor. Libby coached junior Sydney Hoerr to second team All-Big Ten honors, while Hoerr, junior Caitlin Tanzer and sophomore Alie Glover earned Academic All-Big Ten honors.

Libby led Iowa to its sixth-consecutive NCAA postseason appearance, the seventh in her tenure, during her ninth year as head coach in 2013. The Hawkeyes finished sixth in the Norman Regional, posting 194.475. In the regular season, Iowa clinched the Cy-Hawk Series, defeating Iowa State with a season-best, 196.375-194.575. Iowa was the only Big Ten team to down Minnesota, the regular season Big Ten Co-Champions. The Hawkeyes beat the Gophers, 195.725-195.550.

Under Libby's guidance, Iowa finished its 2013 homestand undefeated. The Hawkeyes recorded their highest-ever average home attendance (1,414), drawing a season-high 2,303 fans against Iowa State. Iowa found success off the floor as well, as four GymHawks, Sydney Hoerr, Emma Stevenson, Kaitlynn Urano and Emma Willis, received Academic All-Big Ten honors.



In 2012, the Hawkeyes finished the season ranked 26th nationally, the highest finish since 2004. Libby coached Tesla Cox to second team All-Big Ten honors and Emma Stevenson to the Big Ten All-Championship Team. The Hawkeyes hosted the Big Ten Championships drawing a season-high attendance figure of 1,661. Stevenson scored a 9.875 on the floor exercise, and Iowa finished seventh as a team. Libby led the Hawkeyes to a fifth-consecutive NCAA postseason appearance. Iowa posted 194.600 and finished fifth at the Seattle Regional.

The Hawkeyes raised the streak to four-straight NCAA appearances in 2011 with a fifth place finish at the Corvallis Regional. This coming after a sixth place finish at the Big Ten Championships, and an overall season record of 11-6. Libby coached three All-Big Ten selections in Rebecca Simbhudas, Houry Gebeshian and Jessa Hansen. Simbhudas and Gebeshian also made individual appearances at the NCAA Championships as Simbhudas was named North Central Region Gymnast of the Year.

Libby led Iowa to a third place finish at the 2010 Big Ten Championships, its best finish in six years. On top of another NCAA Regional berth, Libby also coached Houry Gebeshian to a Big Ten title on beam, just the second in program history. Gebeshian, Jessa Hansen and Rebecca Simbhudas were selected to the All-Big Ten team. Additionally, Simbhudas qualified as an individual for the NCAA Championships and earned All-American honors on beam.

In 2009, Libby led her squad to a 10-5 record and was named North Central Region Coach of the Year. Under her guidance, the GymHawks made accomplishments. The Whitby Sports Council, the hometown where Libby began her outstanding career, selected Libby to be inducted into the Whitby Sports Hall of Fame, an honor bestowed on some of Canada's greatest athletes.

In 2008, Libby coached the Hawkeyes to their first NCAA appearance since 2005 and a fifth place finish in the Big Ten Conference. In addition to the multiple team and staff honors, Libby also saw several GymHawks achieve standout seasons during the 2008 season. Jenifer Simbhudas was named first team All-Big Ten and Big Ten Gymnast of the Week twice. The accomplishments came off of the competitive floor as well. Five GymHawks were named Academic All-Big Ten and seven were named academic All-Americans.

In 2007, Libby led the Hawkeyes to a number of individual records. Katie Burke earned career-highs on vault, bars, floor, and in the all-around, ending a highly successful season with an NCAA Championship appearance. Kara Pinjuv, Jenifer Simbhudas, and Katie Turcotte all qualified to NCAA Regional competition. In addition to their NCAA success, Burke earned first team All-Big Ten honors, while Pinjuv, Turcotte, and Simbhudas all earned second team honors.

Prior to the 2007 season, Libby played a role in the Hawkeyes' six consecutive seasons of NCAA Regional competition (2000-2005) and coached seniors Liz Grajewski and Kortny Williamson, as well as junior Danielle Legeai to individual regional competition in 2006.

As the Hawkeyes' choreographer and beam coach, Libby has made a lasting impact. The top 10 school records on beam have all been under her guidance, including the school record, 49.425, accomplished in 2004 at Illinois State. In 2004, the GymHawks recorded a 49.0 or higher seven times on beam.



Before becoming the UI head coach, Libby served as associate head coach for one season and assistant coach for the previous three seasons.

Before joining the Hawkeyes, Libby served four years as the assistant women's coach at Louisiana State University, her alma mater. While at LSU, she produced nine beam All-Americans, the top-ranked beam team in 1999 and helped coach LSU to four consecutive NCAA championship team appearances.

As a competitive gymnast in her home country of Canada, Libby burst onto the scene at age 11, quickly becoming a junior national champion and a senior national champion shortly after. A member of the 1987 and 1989 Canadian world championship teams, Libby led the Canadian team to its best-ever sixth-place finish, placing 18th in the world in the all-around and becoming Canada's first ever world vault finalist. Along with world recognition, Libby was also a member of the Canadian Olympic team in 1988. She has earned over 30 international individual and event medals and was honored as the Canadian Gymnast of the Year in 1989 and 1990. In 2006, Libby was honored for her many national and international accomplishments. The Whitby Sports Council, the hometown where Libby began her outstanding career, selected Libby to be inducted into the Whitby Sports Hall of Fame, an honor bestowed on some of Canada's greatest athletes.

Originally from Pickering, Canada, Libby was a collegiate gymnast at Louisiana State University. She was a four-year team captain and the Central Region bar champion in 1995. Libby graduated from LSU in 1996, with a Bachelor of Science degree in psychology and a minor in French. Her husband, Chad, is the program director of athletic training at Coe College. The couple has two daughters, Taylor and Bailey.



CALEB PHILLIPS
ASSISTANT COACH
SEVENTH SEASON



Caleb Phillips is in his seventh year as an assistant coach at the University of Iowa in 2015-16.

Phillips served as an assistant coach for the Hawkeyes from 2008-13, before leaving to pursue a career outside of coaching, and relocating with his family to Utah. He returned to the program in the fall of 2014.

"We are elated that Caleb has returned to Hawkeye Nation," said Libby. "His infectious personality and enthusiasm for the team and Iowa in general has been missed. The atmosphere surrounding the team since his return is electric and I am excited to work with him again."

"It is great to be back in Iowa," said Phillips. "I had the opportunity to try my hand at something else and fortunately it was short lived. Coaching is what I do, it's what I am and it's what I love. I feel blessed with the opportunity to come back to the Hawkeye family and do what I absolutely love and have a passion for. The next step is to make some waves in the Big Ten and show people just how strong this team and program can be."

Phillips was responsible for the uneven bars squad during his first stint at Iowa, which was consistently ranked in the top 20 in the country. In 2013, Phillips led the bar squad to a 49.115 NCAA Regional Qualifying Score, ranking 16th nationally. In 2012, Phillips coached the bar team to a 49.100 Regional Qualifying Score, ranking 13th nationally.

The Hawkeyes have received NCAA postseason berths every year he has been on staff. Additionally, Phillips has helped coach two Hawkeye gymnasts, Houry Gebeshian and Rebecca Simbhudas, to NCAA Championship appearances.

In 2011, Phillips was named the North Central Region Assistant Co-Coach of the Year with fellow assistant Linas Gaveika. Under Phillips' guidance, Gebeshian, Jessa Hansen and Simbhudas were selected to the All-Big Ten team.

With the help of Phillips, Iowa placed third at the Big Ten Championships in 2010, its best finish in six years. Gebeshian, Hansen and Simbhudas took home All-Big Ten honors, and Gebeshian won the Big Ten beam title, just the second in program history.

Prior to joining the Iowa staff, Phillips spent four years as an assistant coach at Southern Utah. He helped lead Southern Utah to two NCAA Regional appearances and helped send two competitors to NCAA Championships -- Leah Sakhitab in 2005 and Elise Wheeler in 2008. Phillips coached three athletes to NCAA Regionals in 2006 and four in 2007.

Phillips has a Bachelor's degree in psychology from Southern Utah. He and his wife, Ashley, have two children -- Cable and Beck.

JENNIFER GREEN
ASSISTANT COACH
SECOND SEASON



Jennifer Green is in her second year as an assistant coach on the University of Iowa women's gymnastics staff.

"I could not be more excited to become part of the Hawkeye nation," said Green. "The team and coaching staff perform at the highest level, and I am honored to be a part of the Iowa gymnastics program. I am thankful to coach Libby and the administration for giving me this opportunity to continue my dream of coaching at the collegiate level. The strength of the program and high level of academic performance at the University of Iowa makes this a very exciting time for me."

"We are thrilled to have Jennifer join our staff," said UI head coach Larissa Libby. "Her knowledge and experience, coupled with her enthusiasm, are going to be tremendous additions to the Hawkeye way. We searched long and hard to find the perfect fit. For the staff, team, and Iowa's philosophy, we could not have found a better person."

Green comes to Iowa after serving as an assistant coach at the University of Missouri for two years where her specific responsibilities included choreographing and coaching beam.

Prior to her stint in Columbia, Green spent four years as recreational director and beam and floor coach at Elite Gymnastics Club in Lenexa, Kansas, before moving on to Kansas Gymnastics and Cheer, where she spent 12 years as the beam and floor coach. She has also coached numerous athletes to USA Gymnastics Western Nationals and Level 10 Junior Olympic Nationals, and several earned state, regional and national titles.

Green holds a bachelor's degree in management and human relations from Mid America Nazarene University and a master's degree in educational, school and counseling psychology from the University of Missouri.

Green competed at the elite level before continuing her career as a gymnast for LSU, where she was honored as an all-conference athlete (SEC) and an NCAA All-American.

Green has four children, Taylor, Matt, Jackson, and Bailey.

OPUA CALUCAG
BARS, BEAM, FLOOR
SENIOR
SOUTH PASEDNA, CALIF.



GETTING TO KNOW OPUA

First gymnastics memory: When I was 4, I saw a beam through the window of the local recreational gym. After that, I knew that I wanted to do gymnastics and begged my parents to sign me up.

Favorite place in Iowa City: The downtown area

Why Iowa: I love the people here, especially my team and my coaches! I couldn't imagine a greater group of people to spend my collegiate career with!

Favorite movie: *She's The Man*

I want to visit: Tahiti

Favorite music: I'm really into Nicki Minaj, Beyonce, Chris Brown, Sam Smith, or almost anything on the Top 40 list!

Favorite professional athlete: Tasha Schwikert

2015 goal: My personal goals for this season are to make beam and floor line ups.

Most memorable gymnastics moment: First time walking out of the tunnel in Carver freshman year. Thinking about it gives me chills!

One word that describes me: Happy

2015... Did not see action... named Academic All-Big Ten... earned the Sportsmanship Award at the Big Ten Championships.

2014... Did not see action.

2013... Competed on beam three times, scoring a career-high 9.075 in win against Iowa State... also competed on beam at Southern Utah and at the Big Ten Championships.

HIGH SCHOOL... Qualified to the 2011 Junior Olympic Nationals and placed 14th on balance beam... placed sixth in all-around at the Region I Level 10 Championships... crowned the 2010 Level 9 Region I all-around Champion and the 2010 Level 9 Western National Floor Champion... trained at West Coast Elite Gymnastics under coaches Fernando Villa and Antoaneta Angelova.

PERSONAL... Born on 4/26/94... parents are Evelyn and Noel Calucag... made the Dean's High Honors List for spring 2011 and 2012 semesters... integrated physiology major.



CALUCAG'S BEST

Beam.....9.075 vs Iowa State (3/8/13)

ALIE GLOVER

ALL-AROUND
SENIOR
DESTIN, FLA.



GLOVER'S BEST

Vault.....9.925	at Big Ten Championships (3/21/15)
Beam.....9.875	three times, last on (4/4/15)
Floor.....9.900	twice, last on (3/21/15)
Bars.....9.825	twice, last on (2/23/14)
AA39.125	at Illinois (1/31/14)

GETTING TO KNOW ALIE

First gymnastics memory: Doing forward rolls in a baby gymnastics class at my daycare

Favorite place in Iowa City: The Pentacrest

Favorite food: Steak and garlic potatoes

Place I want to visit: Australia

Why the University of Iowa: I love the atmosphere, campus, and the coaches and team are amazing.

Being at Iowa has taught me: How to be independent

Pre-meet rituals: I have to wear the same shorts and shirt every time I get ready for a competition

Ideal career: Physical Therapist

Favorite professional athlete: Alicia Sacramone

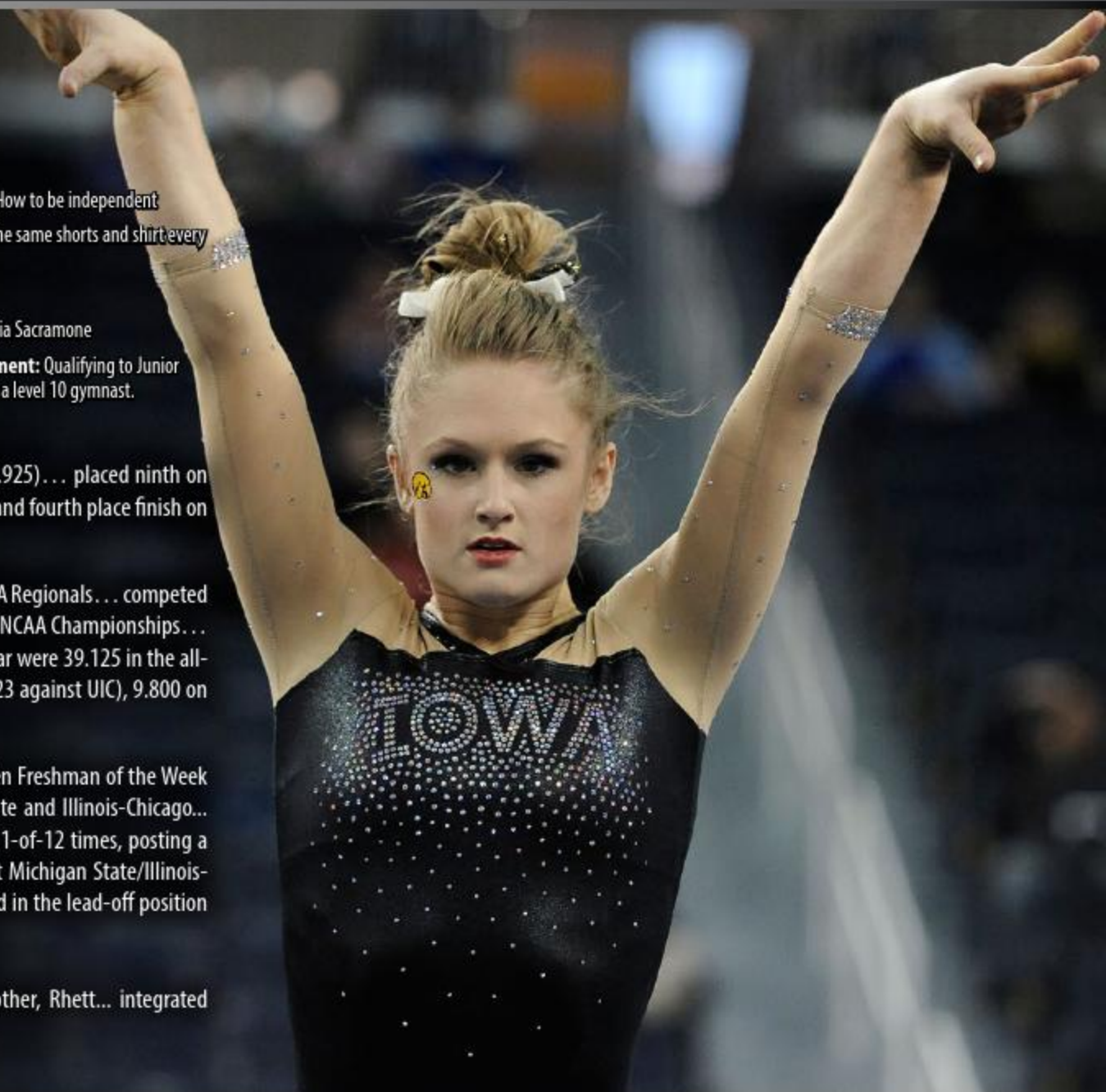
Most memorable gymnastics moment: Qualifying to Junior Olympic Nationals for my first time as a level 10 gymnast.

2015... Named to the All-Championship Team... holds individual team best on vault (9.925)... placed ninth on beam and 10th on floor overall at NCAA Regional... collected second place finish on vault and fourth place finish on floor at Big Ten Championships.

2014... Academic All-Big Ten honoree... competed in all 12 meets... received a bid to NCAA Regionals... competed as an all-around competitor, posting a 39.075 overall, falling just short of qualifying for the NCAA Championships... named to the 2014 Big Ten Gymnasts to Watch List in December... season bests for the year were 39.125 in the all-around (Jan. 31 at Illinois), 9.825 on vault (Feb. 7 at Michigan State), 9.825 on bars (Feb. 23 against UIC), 9.800 on floor (Feb. 28 at Boise State), and 9.825 on beam (Jan. 31 at Illinois).

2013... Was only GymHawk to compete in the all-around at all 12 meets... named Big Ten Freshman of the Week (2/8/13) after posting a career-high 39.050 for the all-around title against Michigan State and Illinois-Chicago... earned a career-best 9.825 on vault against Ohio State... scored 9.700 or better on bars 11-of-12 times, posting a career-high 9.825 at Southern Utah... marked a career-best 9.750 twice on beam against Michigan State/Illinois-Chicago and at Southern Utah... earned a career-high 9.800 on floor five times... competed in the lead-off position on bars, beam and floor.

PERSONAL... Born on 6/1/94... parents are Rhett and Wendy Glover... has one brother, Rhett... integrated physiology major.



JOHANNY SOTILLO
ALL-AROUND
SENIOR
VALENCIA, VENEZUELA



JOHANNY'S BEST

Bars.....9.900	twice, last on (3/6/15)
Beam.....9.850	twice, last on (3/21/15)

2015... Competed in every meet on bars and beam... She posted her personal best on bars (9.900) against at No. 20 Ohio State on Jan. 24...her best on beam (9.825) at No. 7 Nebraska on Feb. 7... tied for 12th on beam at NCAA Regional.... Earned ninth place on beam (9.850) and 12th place on bars (9.875) at Big Ten Championships.

2014... Did not see action due to injury.

2013... Did not see action.

HIGH SCHOOL... Represented the Venezuelan national team at the 2010 and 2011 World Championships... helped Venezuela finish sixth at the 2011 Pan American Games... earned second place in the all-around, bars and beam, and third on vault and floor at the 2011 Venezuela National Championship.

PERSONAL... Born 6/21/91... parents are Mercedes Villanueva and Pedro Sotillo... father played baseball at Universidad de Carabobo... coached by mother and national team coach Carlos Sanchez... was member of the Environmental Club and Intercultural Exchange Program in high school... sports business major.

GETTING TO KNOW JOHANNY

My first gymnastics memory: This is not my first memory but is one of the most vivid one. I was 6 and everyone at nationals thought I should win bars; well I did almost all my routine; just needed to jump on to the high bar and do a tuck dismount and I felt 6 times trying to get to the high bar. kind of embarrassing.

Favorite place in Iowa City: Art Building West

Favorite movie: *Annapolis*

Favorite music: I don't have a preference, it depends on my mood.

I want to visit: I want to visit the 7 wonders of the world.

Why the University of Iowa: I didn't know much about Iowa when I decided to come but if I could do it all over again I would still choose Iowa. Its a fantastic place to live, academics is great and the atmosphere of the team and the city just makes you fall in love with it.

Favorite professional athlete: Omar Vizquel

What is your 2015 season goal: I want the team to make it to NCAA




MOLLIE DRENTH

ALL-AROUND
JUNIOR
RIVERVIEW, FLA.

2015... Competed in every meet on bars and beam... earned a ninth place finish on bars at the Big Ten Championships... finished ninth on bars and eighth in the all-around at NCAA Regionals... named to the All-Championship Team... holds individual team best on bars (9.925)... earned the first Big Ten Event Specialist of the Week accolade of her career on March 16.

2014... Selected to NCAA Regionals as an event specialist on the floor, posting a 9.800... posted a season-best on floor 9.850 against Illinois (Jan. 31) and again at the Big Ten Championships on March 22.... competed in all 12 meets... notched a season-best all-around score of 38.550 against Nebraska on Jan. 20.

HAWK ITEM... Joined Hawkeye program in January of 2014.

GETTING TO KNOW MOLLIE

My first gymnastics memory: My first gymnastics memory was when I did my first backbend-kick over. After I did this skill, I felt like I could conquer the world.

Favorite place in Iowa City: Old Capital Building

Most prized possession: My baby pillow. I can't sleep without it.

Favorite movie: *Stick It*

Favorite music: Pop, country, and boat music (Jimmy Buffet) has to be my favorite type of music

I want to visit: California

Favorite professional athlete: Kerri Strug

Why Iowa: Where do I even start? My teammates and coaches are just the perfect fit for me, the campus is beautiful, and I love the way Iowa presents them.

What is your 2015 season goal: To contribute to my team as much as possible, to compete all around, and to All-american.


DRENTH'S BEST

Vault.....9.800	at Big Ten Championships (3/21/15)
Beam.....9.900	vs. #25 Ohio State (1/23/16)
Floor.....9.875	vs Michigan State, Ball State (1/18/15)
Bars.....9.925	at Big Five Meet (3/14/15)
AA39.300	vs. #25 Ohio State (1/23/16)


EDLIN'S BEST

Vault.....9.875 twice, last on (3/14/15)
 Floor.....9.850 vs Michigan State, Ball State (1/18/15)
 Beam.....9.800 at Nebraska (2/7/15)

ASHLEIGH EDLIN
 ALL-AROUND
 JUNIOR
 WOODLAWN, TENN.

2015... Competed in all 12 meets this season on beam, vault, and floor... posted season best on vault (9.875) twice, most recently at the Big Five Meet... posted career best score of 9.850 against LSU.

2014... Competed in all 12 meets this season on the vault, floor, and beam... posted season-bests of 9.800 (at Big Ten Championships), 9.775 (at Illinois on Jan. 31) and 9.800 (against UIC on Feb. 23), respectively.

HIGH SCHOOL... Two-time Level 10 Tennessee State beam champion... finished 19th in the all-around at the 2012 Junior Olympic National Invitational Tournament... qualified to the 2012 Region 8 Championships, earning fourth on beam and 12th in the all-around.

PERSONAL... Trained at Clarksville Elite Gymnastics Center...parents are Charlie and Dianne Edlin...pre-med major.

GETTING TO KNOW ASHLEIGH

My first gymnastics memory: My first gymnastics memory was my grandmother taking me to class one day and I got to jump off the trampoline onto a big red mat named Clifford! I looked forward to landing on Clifford every practice!

Favorite place in Iowa City: Aspen Leaf because of the delicious caramel apples

Most prized possession: My most prized possession would have to be my chapstick or the chalk bucket!

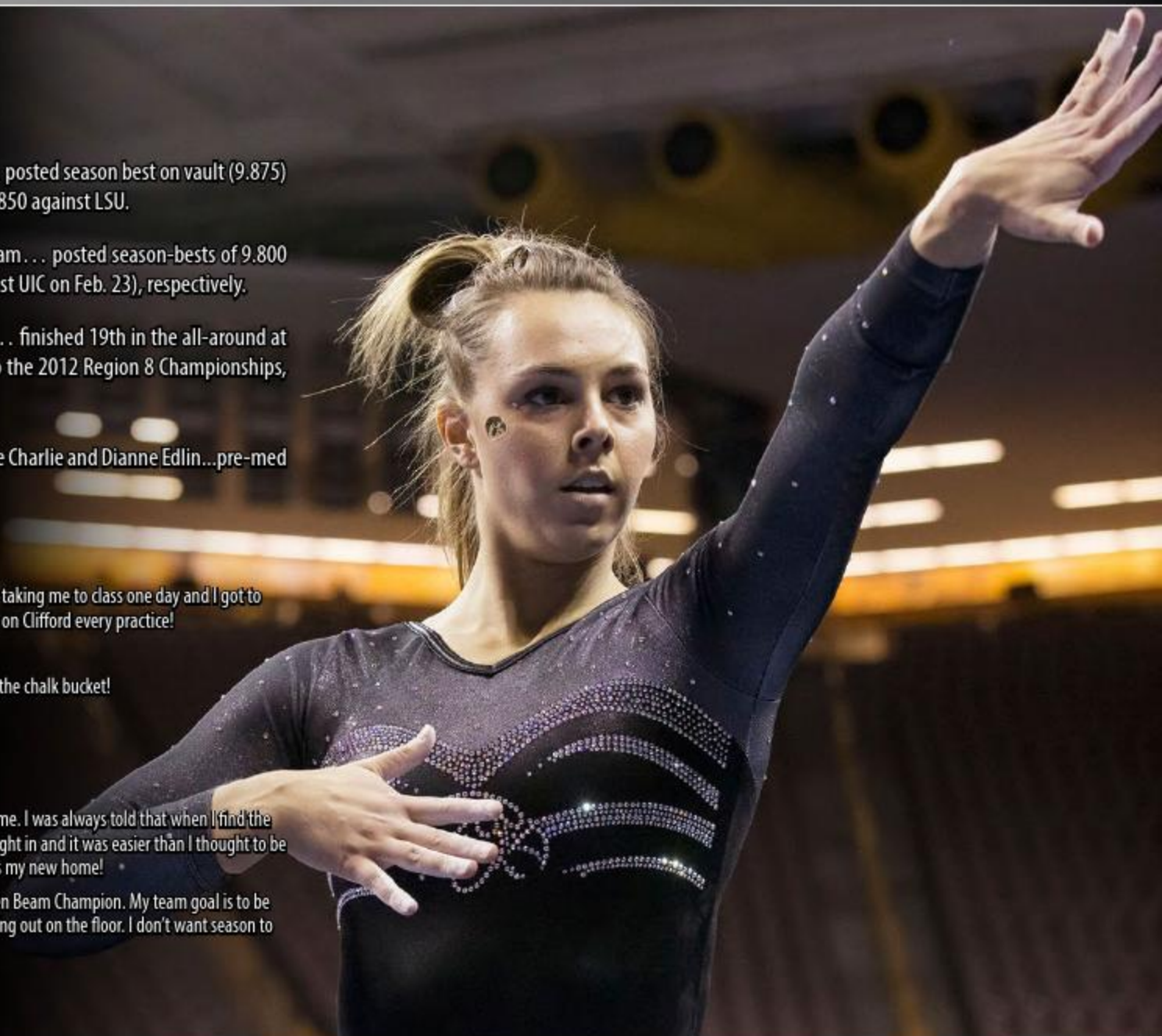
Favorite movie: *Frozen*

Favorite song: Country

I want to visit: Italy, because of the food!

Why the University of Iowa: I'm from Tennessee and walking on campus felt like home. I was always told that when I find the right college, I would know. First time I walked on campus everything felt right! I just fit right in and it was easier than I thought to be away from my family and friends. I was happy and couldn't take a smile off my face; it was my new home!

What is your 2015 season goal: My personal goal for the 2015 season is to be Big Ten Beam Champion. My team goal is to be Big Ten Champions, but also every time we compete to give it our all and to leave everything out on the floor. I don't want season to end and think about what could have been done or if we had practiced a little hard.





CAROLINE MCCRADY

ALL-AROUND
JUNIOR
EAGAN, MINN.

2015... Competed in 11 meets on vault... named Academic All-Big Ten... posted season best on vault (9.800) at Big Ten Championships.

2014... Saw action in all 12 meets this season on vault... posted a season-best of 9.750 three times, most recently at Iowa State on March 7.

HIGH SCHOOL... Earned fifth place on vault and floor at the 2013 Region 4 Championships... placed 16th in the all-around at the 2013 Minnesota State Championships... was a two-time Level 10 Junior Olympic regional qualifier.

PERSONAL... Trained at TAGS South Gymnastics... parents are Laura and Rich McCrady... business major.

GETTING TO KNOW CAROLINE

My first gymnastics memory: Doing gymnastics on the couches with my sister

Favorite place in Iowa City: Java House

Most prized possession: My cell phone

Favorite movie: *Mulan*

Favorite singer: Carrie Underwood

I want to visit: Spain

Favorite professional athlete: Nastia Liukin

Why Iowa: I chose Iowa because I loved the school, it has great academics and the team was very inviting.

What is your 2015 season goal: To make it to nationals as a team.



MCCRADY'S BEST

Vault.....9.800 twice, last on (3/21/15)



METCALF'S BEST

Vault.....9.900	vs Illinois (2/14/15)
Bars.....9.900	at Ohio State (1/24/15)
Beam.....9.900	at Ohio State (1/24/15)
Floor.....9.900	at B1G Championships(3/21/15)
All-Around.....39.400	vs Illinois (2/14/15)

ANGEL METCALF

ALL-AROUND
JUNIOR
MATTHEWS, N.C.

2015... Named to the 2015 Big Ten Gymnasts to Watch List in the preseason... named to the All-Championship Team... finished fifth in the all-around and 12th on bars at NCAA Regional... holds team individual best on beam (9.900) and in the all-around (39.400)... earned fourth on floor (9.900), 19th in the all-around (38.575), and 26th place on bars (9.825) at the Big Ten Championships.

2014... Received a bid to NCAA Regionals to compete in the all-around, posting a 38.125... competed in 12 meets this season, nine of which she competed for the all-around title... tallied season best all-around score of 39.325 twice; the most recent at Big Ten Championships... score marked the individual team best for the GymHawks... holds the team best on floor and beam, scoring 9.925 (at Big Ten Championships 3/22) and 9.875 (against UIC 2/23).

HIGH SCHOOL... Placed seventh on beam at the 2013 Junior Olympic National Championships... finished third in the all-around and second on beam at the 2013 Region 8 Championships... earned second place on beam at the 2012 Junior Olympic National Invitational Tournament... three-time Region 8 Championship qualifier... placed second on beam at the 2011 North Carolina State Championships.

PERSONAL... Trained at International Sports Center....parents are Edward and Julie Metcalf, one sister (Sarah) and seven brothers (Matt, Gerard, Tim, Joe, Mike, Dominic & Danny)....psychology major.

GETTING TO KNOW ANGEL

My first gymnastics memory: My first gymnastics memory is when my sister and I were in our very first gymnastics class together.

Favorite place in Iowa City: CHIPOTLE!

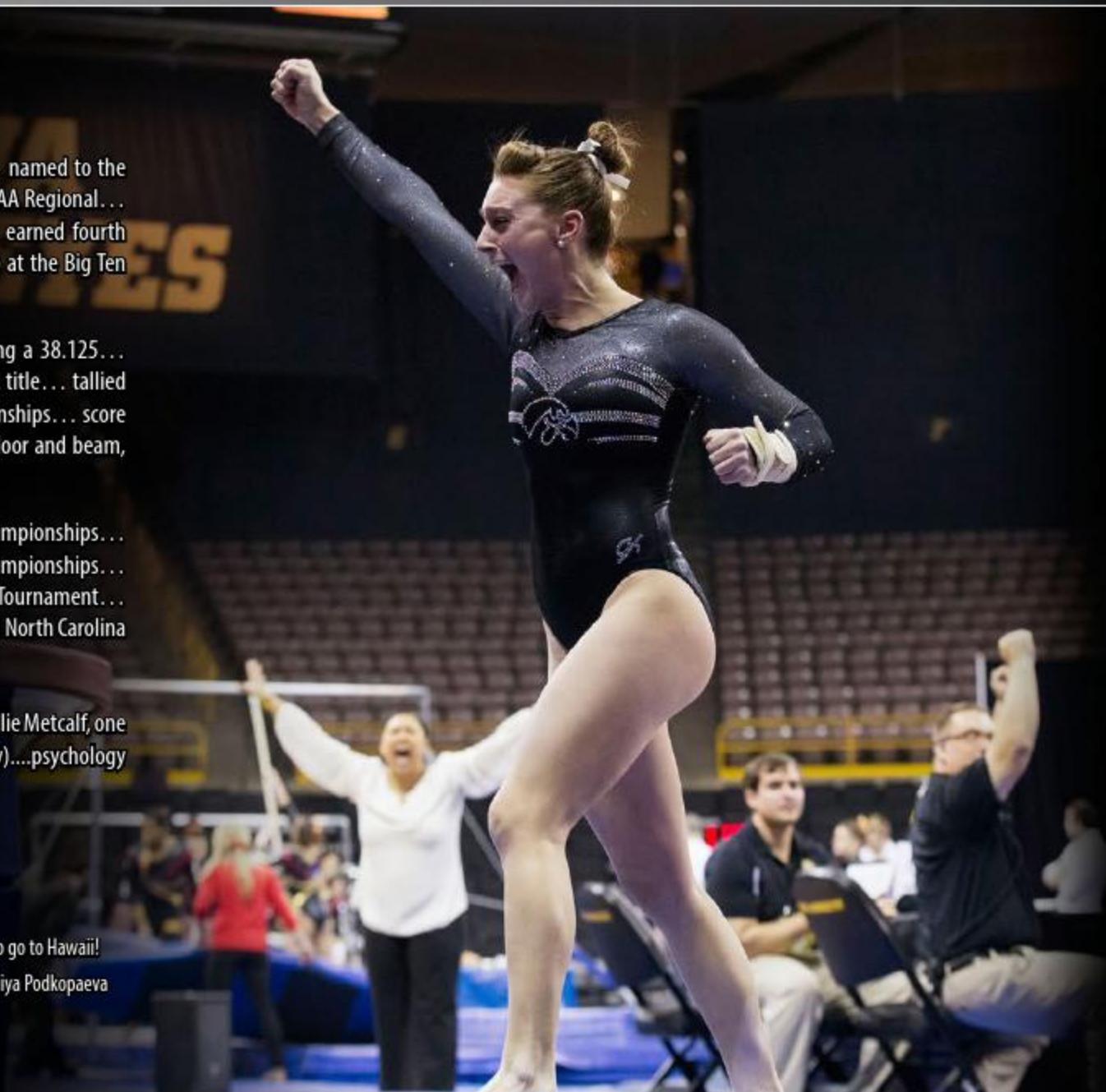
Most prized possession: My family because they mean the world to me.

Favorite movie: *The Little Mermaid*

Favorite music: Country

I want to visit: I've always wanted to go to Hawaii!

Favorite professional athlete: Liliya Podkopaeva



LEXI MURA
ALL-AROUND
JUNIOR
CASEYVILLE, ILL.



GETTING TO KNOW LEXI

My first gymnastics memory: Competing as a level 5 gymnast in front of a bunch of people.

Favorite place in Iowa City: The Pentacrest. It's just so pretty!

Most prized possession: I don't really have one but if I were to choose then I would say my car.

Favorite movie: *The Wedding Date*

Favorite music: Maroon 5, the Script, and hip-hop while I workout.

I want to visit: Italy and Bora Bora. Both just seem so beautiful.

Favorite professional athlete: Shawn Johnson

Why Iowa: The balance of academics and athletics along with the beautiful campus we have was something I couldn't turn down. The coaches and the team were just so nice. I knew it was where I belonged.

What is your 2015 season goal: To make it to regionals as a team.

2015... Competed in 11 meets this season on bars... posted season high (9.850) at the Big Five meet.

2014... Did not see action due to injury.

HIGH SCHOOL... Qualified to the 2013 Region 5 Championships, finishing fifth on vault and 17th in the all-around... finished third in the all-around and second on bars at the 2013 Illinois State Championships... placed second in the all-around and first on beam at the 2012 Junior Olympic National Invitational Tournament... earned second in the all-around at the 2012 Illinois State Championships, qualifying to the 2012 Region 5 Championships... won the 2011 Region 5 bars title.

PERSONAL... Trained at World Class Gymnastics Center...parents are Doreen and Stephen Mura...pre-pharmacy major.



MURA'S BEST

Bars.....9.850	at Big Five Meet (3/14/15)
Beam 9.650	at Cancun Classic (1/2/16)

ASHLEY FISCHER

ALL-AROUND
SOPHOMORE
ST. LOUIS, MO.



FISCHER'S BEST

Vault.....9.825 twice, last on (4/4/15)
Floor9.600 at Cancun Classic (1/2/16)

GETTING TO KNOW ASHLEY

First gymnastics memory: Winning first in all around as a level 10.

Favorite place in Iowa City: Downtown

Favorite food: Chocolate

Place I want to visit: Belize and Europe

Why the University of Iowa: Campus is nice and clean, good programs for majors.

Pre-meet rituals: Depends on the day

Ideal career: Working with kids

Favorite professional athlete: Keri Strug

Most memorable gymnastics moment: Making it to Regionals as an Iowa Hawkeye

2015... competed in 9 of the 12 meets this season on vault... season best is a 9.825 that she tallied twice, once against Denver and BYU on February 21 and at the Auburn Regional on April 4.

HIGH SCHOOL... Trained at Team Central Gymnastics Academy... placed 1st in vault, bars and floor at state in 2011... placed 1st in vault, beam and all-around at state in 2013... qualified for sate, regionals and nationals in 2014... and member of the honor roll.

PERSONAL... Born July 31, 1996... daughter of William and Melissa Fischer, one sister (Ariana)... physical therapy major.



JORI ROBERTSON
FLOOR, BEAM, VAULT
SOPHOMORE
IOWA CITY, IOWA



GETTING TO KNOW JORI

First gymnastics memory: When I got to pick out my very first leotard.

Favorite place in Iowa City: The amazing new gym we have

Favorite food: Chicken and steak

Place I want to visit: Hawaii

Why the University of Iowa: I could stay close to home and represent my state while continuing my passion for gymnastics. Also, Iowa has a great science program.

Being at Iowa has taught me: Time management and hard work.

Pre-meet rituals: Listening to loud music in the locker room with the whole team while I get my hair and makeup done.

Ideal career: Personal trainer

Favorite professional athlete: Simone Biles

Most memorable gymnastics moment: When I won Westerns and being able to be a part of the Iowa Gymnastics team.

2015... Did not see action

HIGH SCHOOL... Junior Olympics qualifier in both 2011 and 2012... state champion for vault, beam, floor and all-around in both 2012 and 2013... 2014 national all-around champion... 2014 regional bar champion... 2014 state bars, beam and all-around champion... second team all-conference in 2014... received senior leadership award... member of the honor roll all four years... 2014 outstanding scholar-athlete award... and member of the National Honor Society.

PERSONAL... Born December 23, 1995... daughter of Randy and Linda Robertson, three brothers and one sister (Chris, Derrick, Bryant, Chelsey)... athletic training major.



MEGAN RUZICKA

ALL-AROUND
SOPHOMORE
PLAINFIELD, ILL.



GETTING TO KNOW MEGAN

First gymnastics memory: I remember making my first kip in level 4

Favorite place in Iowa City: The greenhouse in the Biology Building East or the Sciences Library

Favorite food: French Silk Pie

Place I want to visit: Koh Samui, Thailand

Why the University of Iowa: They had an excellent Actuarial Science Program and Honors College

Being at Iowa has taught me: How to be independent

Pre-meet rituals: I really like to enjoy a nice cup of coffee before the meet

Ideal career: Statistician for the NFL or College Football Recruiter

Favorite professional athlete: Kurt Warner

Most memorable gymnastics moment: Winning the team award at State meet my Senior year

2015... Did not see action... earned Dean's List honors both fall and spring semesters.

HIGH SCHOOL... Level 9 Regional qualifier in 2011... 2012 State champion in floor and vault... member of the Illinois Level 10 State 1st Place Senior Team in 2014...graduated in the top 2% of her class... National Honor Society member... National Spanish Honor Society member... member of the Spanish Club...and AP Scholar with Honors.

PERSONAL... Born September 10, 1996... daughter of Scott and Kathy Ruzicka, one sister (Kristin)... mathematics major with an actuarial focus.



LANIE SNYDER

ALL-AROUND
SOPHOMORE
OMAHA, NEB.



SNYDER'S BEST

Bars.....9.800	vs. #25 Ohio State (1/23/16)
Floor.....9.850	vs. #25 Ohio State (1/23/16)

GETTING TO KNOW LANIE

First gymnastics memory: Being shoved through the sliding glass door of the gym by my mother

Favorite place in Iowa City: The Field House

Favorite food: Reuben Sandwich

Place I want to visit: Jamaica

Why the University of Iowa: I wanted to do college gymnastics and this university was a perfect fit for me

Being at Iowa has taught me: To find the gold in everyone rather than the dirt

Pre-meet rituals: I braid my teammates hair

Ideal career: High school teacher or a coach

Dream career: Stunt double

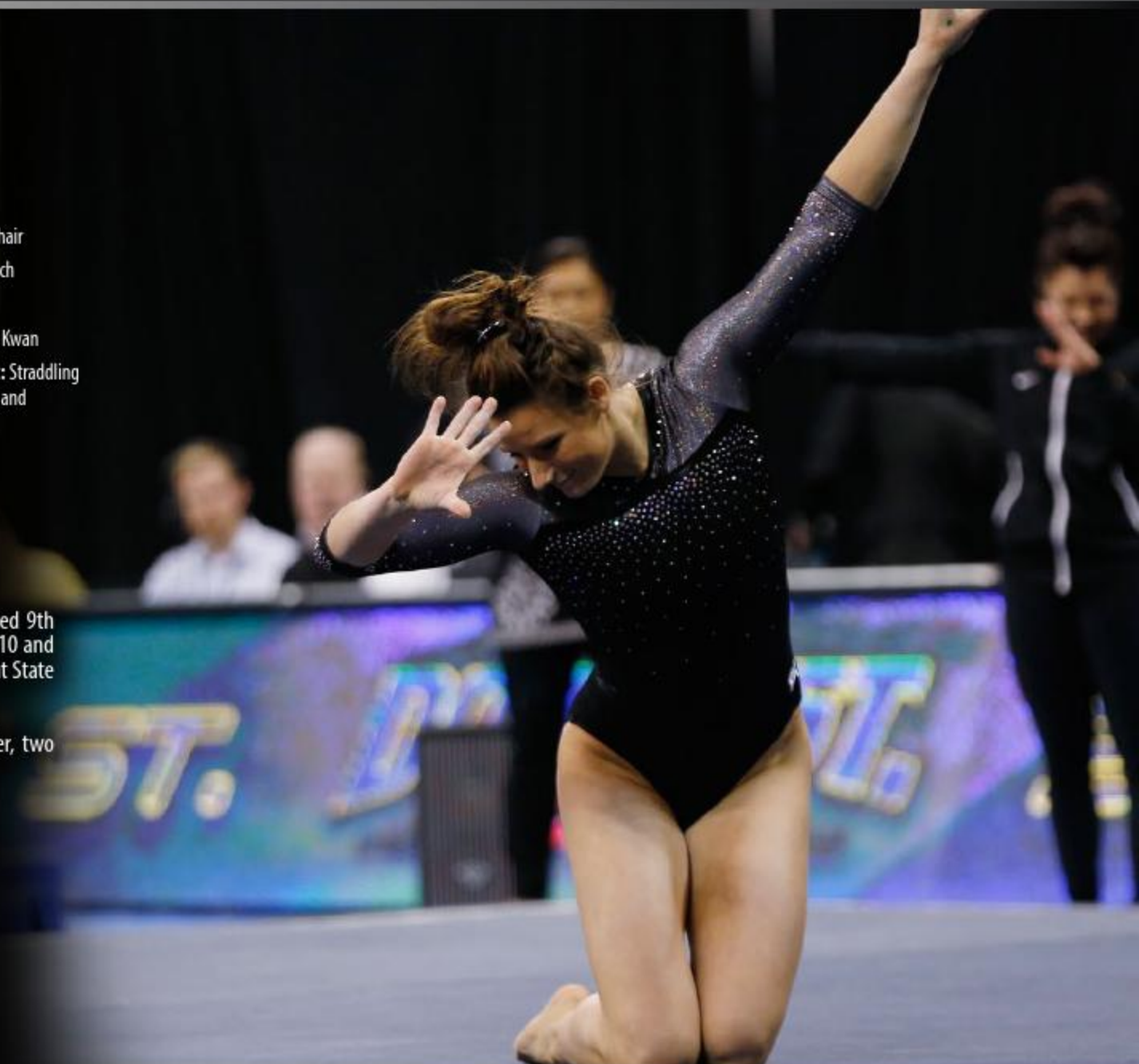
Favorite professional athlete: Michelle Kwan

Most memorable gymnastics moment: Straddling the beam in a competition, but I stayed on and finished my routine

2015... Did not see action

HIGH SCHOOL...Placed 1st individually in vault at Regionals in 2011... placed 9th all-around at Nationals in 2012... took 1st individually in beam at State in both 2010 and 2011... took 1st individually in floor at State in 2010... took 1st individually in floor at State in 2012...and took 1st individually in bars at State in 2012 and 2014.

PERSONAL... Born December 30, 1995... daughter of Todd and Karen Snyder, two brothers (Jake and Josh)... pre-dentistry major.



NIKKI YOUD

ALL-AROUND
SOPHOMORE
PANAMA CITY, FLA.



YOUD'S BEST

Floor.....9.775 vs Illinois (2/14/15)
Beam.....9.800 vs Ball State, Michigan State (1/18/15)

GETTING TO KNOW NIKKI

First gymnastics memory: Messing up and sliding over the vault in level 5

Favorite place in Iowa City: Our brand new gym in the Field House :)

Favorite food: Sushi or any type of seafood

Why the University of Iowa: The academics and the gymnastics program were a perfect fit. Also, being able to be a part of such a prestigious conference like the Big Ten has been an amazing experience

Being at Iowa has taught me: How to be a balanced student-athlete while preparing myself well for the future.

Place I want to visit: Italy

Pre-meet rituals: Drink lots of coffee and listen to loud, energetic music with my teammates while we get ready

Ideal career: Orthodontist

Favorite professional athlete: Chellsie Memmel or Alicia Sacramone

Most memorable gymnastics moment: Big Tens last year. Our gymnastics and the overall energy our team had was the most incredible experience I have had so far in my gymnastics career!

2015... Competed on vault, beam, and floor in the seven meets before her injury this season... collected season best on vault against LSU on January 9 (9.700), beam against Ball State and Michigan State on January 18 (9.800), and floor against Illinois on February 14 (9.775).

HIGH SCHOOL... 2012 Eastern National Champion in the all-around, vault, and beam... placed 9th on beam at the 2013 Junior Olympic National Championships... finished her high school career with a 4.58 GPA... and graduated with honors.

PERSONAL... Trained at Gymnastics Plus... born September 1, 1996... daughter of Steve and Jamie Youd, two half sisters (Ava and Elena)... and business major.



MELISSA ZURAWSKI

BARS, BEAM, FLOOR
SOPHOMORE
DARIEN, ILL.



ZURAWSKI'S BEST

Bars.....9.875 at Big Five Meet (3/14/15)
Floor9.825 at Cancun Classic (1/2/16)

GETTING TO KNOW MELISSA

First gymnastics memory: Trying to do kips on a swing outside of my house

Favorite place in Iowa City: The Pentacrest

Favorite food: Gluten-free cookie dough ice cream

Why the University of Iowa: You can feel the fire, drive, and happiness from everyone and everything on campus

Being at Iowa has taught me: To be myself, arrive on time, and how to write papers from start to finish in one sitting

Place I want to visit: Poland

Pre-meet rituals: Listen to Eminem, visualize my routines, and eat a lot of mints

Ideal career: Nurse

Favorite professional athlete: Patrick Kane

Most memorable gymnastics moment: Missing my feet on the beam which gave me a black eye and a concussion

2015... Saw action in all 12 meets this season on bars... posted season-best of 9.875 at the Big Five meet on March 14... 26th on bars (9.825) at the Big Ten Championship.

HIGH SCHOOL... Placed 1st individually in vault at Regionals in 2011... placed 9th all-around at Nationals in 2012... took 1st individually in beam at State in both 2010 and 2011... took 1st individually in floor at State in 2010... took 1st individually in floor at State in 2012...and took 1st individually in bars at State in 2012 and 2014.

PERSONAL... Born March 1, 1996... trained at the Balance Institute of Gymnastics... daughter of Joe and Angela Zurawski, two brothers (Brent and Eric)... and pre-physical therapy major.



SAVANNAH BORMAN

FLOOR, BEAM, VAULT
JUNIOR
CHESAPEAKE, VA.

AT ARIZONA STATE... Made her season debut at Oregon State (March 1, 2014) on beam earning a score of 9.775... and scored a career high of 9.800 on beam at Oklahoma (March 7, 2014)... scored a season high of 9.775 on beam at Southern Utah (March 6, 2014)... and scored a career high of 9.725 on floor against Air Force (March 13, 2014).

HIGH SCHOOL... Placed first in the All-Around at Districts and Regionals... first place team at Districts and Regionals... third place at States in 2010... second place All-Around at Districts and Regionals... fifth place All-Around at States in 2013... graduated with honors... and lettered in gymnastics and cheerleading.

PERSONAL... Born August 27, 1995... daughter of Peg and Brad Borman, one brother (Baxter)... and a biology major.



MISTY-JADE CARLSON

ALL-AROUND
FRESHMAN
PORTLAND, ORE.

HIGH SCHOOL... Placed first on bars, beam, and in the all-around at Region 2 Regionals in 2012... placed first on vault, bars, beam, and in the all-around at Oregon State competition in 2012... placed first on bars and second in the all-around at Oregon State competition in 2013... placed first in the all-around at Washington State competition in 2014... placed first on beam and in the all-around at Region 2 Regionals in 2014... and qualified for Junior Olympic Nationals in 2012, 2013, and 2014.

PERSONAL... Born April 15, 1997... daughter of Pauline and Kerry Carlson, one sister (Amber) and one brother (Jesse)...and health and human physiology major.

NICOLE CHOW
ALL-AROUND
FRESHMAN
PORT COQUITLAM, B.C.

HIGH SCHOOL... Placed fourth on vault and sixth on bars at the 2013 Canadian National Championships... coached by Barb Fraser...and member of the honor roll all four years.

PERSONAL... Born January 7, 1997... daughter of Peter and Elaine Chow, one brother (Tim)...and human physiology major.



SYDNEY HOGAN
BEAM, FLOOR
FRESHMAN
WATERLOO, IOWA



HIGH SCHOOL... Member of high school's pom and hip hop teams... helped her teams to a State Dance Team Championship title... member of high school's softball team... helped her team to a Softball Conference Championship title... named All-conference softball all four years... received the Military Distinguished Athlete Award her senior year... Team MVP for Dance her senior year... competed at Junior Olympic Nationals in 2013 and 2014... Yearbook Editor... Student Council Vice President... member of the honor roll... and National Honor Society member.

PERSONAL... Born February 25, 1997... daughter of Pat and Kari Hogan, two sisters (Taylor and Avery)... and an open major.

MARIA ORTIZ

ALL-AROUND
FRESHMAN
FORT MYERS, FLA.

HIGH SCHOOL... Went to the U.S National Team Training Center her freshman year... competed at Nationals her freshman, sophomore, and junior years... helped her team place second at the 2009 Junior Olympics Level 9 Eastern Championships... placed seventh on vault at Junior Olympics Level 10 National Championships in 2011... placed fifth on beam at the Junior Olympics Level 10 National Championships in 2012... placed ninth on vault at Junior Olympics Level 10 National Championships in 2013... placed eighth on vault and was a member of the second place team at Junior Olympics Level 10 National Championships in 2014... and graduated high school with a 5.16 GPA.

PERSONAL... Born November 15, 1996... daughter of Laura and Mike Ortiz... and health and human physiology and psychology double major.



ROSE PIORKOWSKI

ALL-AROUND
FRESHMAN
OMAHA, NEB.

HIGH SCHOOL... Gymnastics team captain her freshman year... voted hardest worker her freshman and sophomore year... placed first on vault at Regionals in 2015... placed first on vault and fourth in the all-around at NIT in 2015... and held high academic honors all four years.

PERSONAL... Born August 12, 1997... daughter of Karen and Gary Piorkowski, two sisters (Mia and Grace) and one brother (Jake)...and human physiology major.

LEXY WADSWORTH

FLOOR, BEAM
FRESHMAN
KALONA, IOWA

HIGH SCHOOL... Placed first on beam and second on floor at the 2015 Iowa State Meet... placed fourth on beam and fifth on floor at the 2015 Region 4 Meet... member of the Gold Honor Roll all four years... maintained a 4.0 GPA all four years... Iowa Governor's Scholar... and member of the National Honor Society.

PERSONAL... Born October 8, 1996... daughter of Lisa Johnson and Todd Wadsworth, three sisters and three brothers (Courtney, Cassidy, Naomi, Ethan, Zebulun, Logan)...and biology major with pre-med intentions.



TESSA WALSH

ALL-AROUND
FRESHMAN
NAPERVILLE, ILL.

HIGH SCHOOL... Helped her team finish first place at State (level 9) her sophomore year... member of the 2013 Region 5 Eastern National championship team... first place all-around (level 9) in 2013... finished second in the all-around (level 9) at regionals her sophomore year... finished second in the all-around (level 9) at Easterns in 2013... helped her team to a first place Region 5 team title at Easterns in 2013... helped her team finish second at state her senior year (level 10)... level 10 Regional qualifier in 2015... collected a first place finish on vault, second on bars, third on beam, and second in the all-around at Eastern Nationals in 2015... Indian Prairie Academic Scholar... and member of the High Honor Roll all four years.

PERSONAL... Born April 12, 1997... trained at the Illinois Gymnastics Institute... daughter of Rebecca and Michael Walsh, one sister and one brother (Bryn and Peter)... and computer science major.

"I chose Iowa because it felt like home the first time I visited. The atmosphere and spirit of this school is amazing and the people are so welcoming."

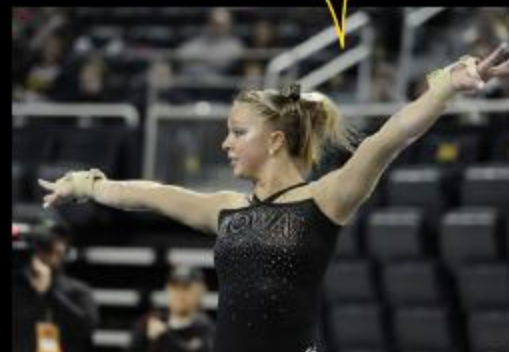
ALIE GLOVER -- SENIOR

"I chose Iowa because my teammates and coaches are just the perfect fit for me, the campus is beautiful, and I love the way Iowa presents them!"

MOLLIE DRENTH -- JUNIOR

"I chose Iowa because it gave me the opportunity to do what I love, which is gymnastics while studying to get my degree. Plus the program is awesome!"

JOHANNY SOTILLO -- SENIOR



"I'm from Tennessee and walking on campus felt like home. I was always told that when I find the right college, I would know. First time I walked on campus everything felt right! I just fit right in and it was easier than I thought to be away from my family and friends. I was happy and couldn't take a smile off my face; it was my new home!"

ASHLEIGH EDLIN -- JUNIOR

"I love the people here, especially my team and my coaches! I couldn't imagine a greater group of people to spend my collegiate career with!"

OPUA CALUCAG -- SENIOR



The University of Iowa women's gymnastics team takes great pride in being able to give back to the Iowa City community and participate in various community service activities. In conjunction with several activities, the team selects one major cause to be involved with. For the fourth consecutive year, the GymHawks put their efforts behind the Ponseti races, with the proceeds going to clubfoot research. The team also helped build a haunted house for local youth. The GymHawks are always one of the first to jump at an opportunity to help others.



Ponseti Races



Halloween Haunted House



"Achieve Your Dreams"



Bicycle/Moped Helmet Awareness



Light the Night



Kickball with REACH



Elementary School Volunteers





Iowa City is a media saturated environment. With no professional teams in the area, the Hawkeyes garner extensive coverage from newspapers, television and the Internet.

TWITTER

A member of the Iowa gymnastics staff offers interactive content live from every event throughout the season via the official Iowa Gymnastics Twitter account, @IowaGymnastics. This feature provides diehard Hawkeye fans up-to-the-minute play-by-play, notes and stats about the meet and GymHawks. The Twitter feed begins approximately 15 minutes before each competition and runs throughout the meet.

TELEVISION

With the launch of the Big Ten Network, the Big Ten is the only conference in the country that has its own national network devoted to Big Ten programming. In addition to the Big Ten Network, the Hawkeyes have had meets on CSTV and Mediacom the past couple seasons.

HAWKEYESPORTS.COM

Media and fans can also obtain a wealth of up-to-date information about the Hawkeyes on the official web site of the University of Iowa -- hawkeyesports.com. Live stats (gametracker), box scores, play-by-play, photo galleries, coach and bio information, video, and more can be found on the web site. The gymnastics team also has its own Facebook and Twitter site.

NEWSPAPER COVERAGE

Fans can also read about Hawkeye action in several newspapers/web sites throughout the state of Iowa. A few of the papers that cover the Hawkeyes on a regular basis include: The *Des Moines Register*, the *Iowa City Press-Citizen*, the *Cedar Rapids Gazette*, the *Quad City Times*, *The Daily Iowan*, the *Voice of The Hawkeyes*, the



Burlington Hawkeye, the Waterloo Courier, and the Moline Dispatch.

FOLLOW THE HAWKEYES

Web Address: hawkeyesports.com (check the schedule page for live stats and live streams)

Facebook: facebook.com/iowagymnastics

Twitter: twitter.com/iowagymnastics

YouTube: youtube.com/iowagymnastics



Last season, the Gymhawks appeared on the Big Ten Network on three occasions. Big Ten gymnastics can be seen worldwide in high-definition (HD) on BTN and on BTN.com.

In June 2006, the Big Ten announced the creation of the Big Ten Network, a national network devoted to Big Ten athletic and academic programs. Available to all cable and satellite providers nationwide, with most programs offered in stunning high-definition television (HDTV), the network allows fans to see their home teams, regardless of where they live.

The Network currently has agreements with more than 250 affiliates, including AT&T U-Verse, Charter, Comcast, Cox (Cleveland), DirecTV, DISH Network, Insight, Mediacom, Time Warner Cable and Verizon FiOS. Available to approximately 70 million households nationwide, the Big Ten Network is the first nationally distributed network dedicated to covering one of the premier collegiate conferences in the country. With approximately 350 live events, and nearly all of them in high definition, the network is the ultimate destination for Big Ten fans and alumni across the country, allowing them to see their favorite teams, regardless of where they live.

The network operates 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, showcasing a wide array of classic-to-current sports and televising more Olympic sporting events and women's sports than has ever been aired on any other network.



ALL-AMERICAN SELECTIONS

Stephanie Gran	2004
Alexis Maday	2002-04
Rebecca Simbhudas	2010

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN TEAM

Kim Baker	1996
Katie Burke	2005-06
Meridith Chang	1994
Michelle Conway	2004
Rachel Corcoran	2012
Heather Fomon	2009-10
Kelly Galau	2010
Houry Gebeshian	2009-10
Elizabeth Grajewski	2006
Stephanie Gran	2002-04
Jessa Hansen	2010-12
Andrea Hurlburt	2009-10
Tiffany Kwan	2004
Danielle Legeai	2004
Brandi Loffer	2009
Brittany Logan	2009
Rachel Nash	2009-10
Kara Pinjuv	2006
Annie Rue	2003-05
Melissa Saliba	2003-04
Sandy Stengel	1994
Arielle Sucich	2010
Annie Szatkowski	2009-12
Nicole Wong	2003-04
Allyson Zipse	2005-06

REGIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR

Larissa Libby	2009
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REGIONAL ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR

Caleb Phillips	2011
Linas Gaveika	2011

BIG TEN MEDAL OF HONOR

Kim Baker	1996
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BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR

Mike Lorenzen (co)	2001
Mike Lorenzen (tri)	2004
Larissa Libby (co)	2008

BIG TEN GYMNAST OF THE YEAR

Lori Cole	1991
Alexis Maday	2004

BIG TEN FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Kim Baker	1993
Giselle Boniforti	1998
Alexis Maday	2001

ALL-BIG TEN SELECTIONS

Janna Alexandrova	2001
Kim Baker	1994-96
Katie Burke	2007
Giselle Boniforti	1998-2000
Lori Cole	1989-91
Corynne Cooper	2002
Tesla Cox	2012
Houry Gebeshian	2009-2011
Liz Grajewski	2005-06
Stephanie Gran	2001, 2003-04
Jessa Hansen	2010-11
Sydney Hoerr	2014-15
Wendy Hussar	1985
Tracy Junker	1989
Alexis Maday	2001-04
Kris Meighan	1985
Kara Pinjuv	2007
Annie Rue	2003
Jenifer Simbhudas	2007-09
Rebecca Simbhudas	2010-11
Sandy Stengel	1991

Emma Stevenson	2012
Katie Turcotte	2007
Kortny Williamson	2004
Robyn Zussman	1989

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN TEAM

Janna Alexandrova	2002
Kim Baker	1994-96
Stephanie Benson	2001-02
Carey Betcher	1990
Misti Blackledge	1993, 1995
Kim Burkard	1987-88
Katie Burke	2005-09
Stacy Burns	1990-92
Opuu Calucag	2015
Meredith Chang	1992, 1994
Tiffany Chapman	1997
Corynne Cooper	2002
Rachel Corcoran	2010-12
Heather DeAtley	2001-02
Beth Dilick	2005-07
Jenny Donar	2008-10
Jennifer DuBois	1987-88
Jordan Eszlinger	2010-12
Michele Ford	2001-02
Heather Fomon	2010
Kelly Galau	2010
Houry Gebeshian	2010-11
Joni Goldwasser	1987
Liz Grajewski	2004-06
Stephanie Gran	2002-04
Jessa Hansen	2010-12
Carie Hatch	1996-98
Jamie Lynne Hedley	1990-92
Sydney Hoerr	2013-15
Angie Hungerford	1999-2002
Andrea Hurlburt	2010-11
Tracy Junker	1989-91
Kelley Kello	2002
Brandy Killian	2002-04
Tiffany Kwan	2004

Jessica Kyanka	2002
Betsy Lam	1998-2000
Grace Lee	1996-98
Danielle Legeai	2005-07
Mindi Levitz	2002-05
Brittany Logan	2008-09
Alexis Maday	2002
Stephani Martinsen	1992
Caroline McCrady	2015
Jennifer Miermyk	1993
Melissa Miller	2010
Rachel Nash	2010
Kara Pinjuv	2007-09
Tawna Rathe	1995
Christine Roselli	1997-99
Annie Rue	2002-05
Melissa Saliba	2004
Jennie Schurman	2010-11
Becky Sheldon	1992-93
Sandy Stengel	1992-94
Emma Stevenson	2011-13
Annie Szatkowski	2010-12
Caitlin Tanzer	2015
Cathy Terrell	1993
Linda Tremain	1984
Kaitlynn Urano	2011-13
Lori Whitwer	1997-99
Emma Willis	2013
Nicole Wong	2002-04
Bobbie Zimmerman	2005-06
Ally Zipse	2006-09

ALL-BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

Mollie Drenth	2015
Alie Glover	2015
Sydney Hoerr	2015
Angel Metcalf	2015
Emma Stevenson (floor exercise)	2012

LOU GINSBERG HUMANITARIAN AWARD

Named for former Hawkeye loyalist and athlete Lou Ginsberg, this award is presented to the student-athlete possessing the humanitarian qualities that include kindness, compassion, empathy, warmth and a commitment to helping others.

Stephanie Smith	1987
Martie Janovich	1990
Cindy, Cathy Terrell	1995
Elizabeth Bryant	1999

ROBERT F. BAY FACULTY REPRESENTATIVE AWARD

Named for former Dean and UI Faculty Representative to the Big Ten Conference Robert F. Bay, this award is presented to the senior student-athlete who has demonstrated outstanding academic excellence, athletic excellence and leadership. Prior to 1992, a female student-athlete winner was selected every other year.

Kim Baker	1996
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SCHOLAR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Each spring at the All-Sports Banquet the member of the senior class sporting the highest grade point average among all student-athletes is named the Scholar Athlete of the Year. Graduating seniors with a cumulative GPA of 3.50 or better are also recognized as members of the All-Academic Team.

Jamie Lynne Headley	1992
Kim Baker	1996


VAULT

1.	49.525	at Utah	2004
2.	49.450	at Maryland	2004
3.	49.400	at Illinois	2003
4.	49.375	vs. NC State	2004
	49.375	vs. Iowa State	2013

UNEVEN BARS

1.	49.425	vs. Illinois State	2001
2.	49.350	vs. Iowa State	2003
	49.350	at Minnesota	2003
4.	49.325	at Southern Utah	2013
	49.325	at Big Five Meet	2015
5.	49.300	at Maryland	2004
	49.300	vs. NC State	2004
	49.300	vs. Iowa State	2001

BALANCE BEAM

1.	49.425	at Illinois State	2004
2.	49.350	at Southern Utah	2003
	49.350	at Illinois	2001
4.	49.300	vs. Michigan State	2003
5.	49.275	vs. Minnesota	2004

FLOOR EXERCISE

1.	49.550	vs. Iowa State	2004
2.	49.475	at Maryland	2004
	49.475	vs. Michigan	2004
4.	49.450	vs. Minnesota	2004
	49.450	at Washington	2004

TEAM

1.	197.150	at Maryland	2004
2.	196.900	at Washington	2004
3.	196.850	at B1G Champs	2003
4.	196.800	at Illinois	2003
5.	196.775	vs. NC State	2004




VAULT

1. Kim Baker	10.0 (2x)	1996
Stephanie Gran	10.0 (3x)	2001-03
2. Alexis Maday	9.975 (2x)	2004
Stephanie Gran	9.975	2004
3. Stephanie Gran	9.950 (4x)	2001-04
Alexis Maday	9.950 (4x)	2002-04
Kortny Williamson	9.950 (2x)	2004
4. Kim Baker	9.925	1995
Alexis Maday	9.925	2001
Stephanie Gran	9.925 (3x)	2004
Kortny Williamson	9.925	2004
Houry Gebeshian	9.925	2011
Maya Wickus	9.925	2011
Emma Willis	9.925	2013
Alie Glover	9.925	2015

UNEVEN BARS

1. Alexis Maday	9.975 (3x)	2004
Giselle Boniforti	9.950 (3x)	1998, 2000
Annie Rue	9.950	2003
Alexis Maday	9.950 (9x)	2002-04
Giselle Boniforti	9.925 (4x)	1998-01
Mollie Drenth	9.925	2015
Sydney Hoerr	9.925 (2x)	2013, 2015
Alexis Maday	9.925 (6x)	2001-04
Annie Rue	9.925	2002
4. Giselle Boniforti	9.900 (7x)	1998-01
Alexis Maday	9.900 (8x)	2001-04
Angel Metcalf	9.900	2015
Brandy Killian	9.900	2001
Nicole Wong	9.900 (2x)	2003-04
Annie Rue	9.900	2003
Brandi Loffer	9.900	2009
Rebecca Simbhudas	9.900	2011
Emma Stevenson	9.900 (2x)	2012, 2013
Johanny Sotillo	9.900 (2x)	2015

BALANCE BEAM

1. Janna Alexandrova	9.975 (2x)	2001-02
2. Alexis Maday	9.950	2004
Houry Gebeshian	9.950	2010
3. Janna Alexandrova	9.925 (3x)	2001-03
Kelley Kello	9.925	2002
Stephanie Gran	9.925	2004
Rebecca Simbhudas	9.925	2009
4. Robyn Gamble	9.900	1997
Janna Alexandrova	9.900 (3x)	2001-03
Mollie Drenth	9.900 (3x)	2015-16
Stephanie Gran	9.900 (4x)	2001-04
Jessa Hansen	9.900	2012
Alexis Maday	9.900 (6x)	2003-04
Angel Metcalf	9.900	2015
Annie Rue	9.900	2003
Danielle Legeai	9.900	2004
Houry Gebeshian	9.900 (2x)	2008
Rebecca Simbhudas	9.900 (4x)	2011

FLOOR EXERCISE

1. Alexis Maday	9.975 (2x)	2001, 04
Stephanie Gran	9.975	2004
2. Kim Baker	9.950	1996
Jessa Hansen	9.950	2011
Alexis Maday	9.950 (6x)	2001-04
Stephanie Gran	9.950 (6x)	2003-04
Liz Grajewski	9.950	2004
Jenifer Simbhudas	9.950	2008
3. Alexis Maday	9.925 (9x)	2001-04
Stephanie Gran	9.925 (9x)	2001-04
Sydney Hoerr	9.925 (2x)	2015
Kortny Williamson	9.925	2004
Jenifer Simbhudas	9.925 (2x)	2009
Jessa Hansen	9.925	2011

ALL-AROUND

1. Alexis Maday	39.750	2004
2. Alexis Maday	39.675	2004
3. Alexis Maday	39.650 (5x)	2001-04
Stephanie Gran	39.650	2004
4. Alexis Maday	39.625	2002
5. Alexis Maday	39.600	2001
Stephanie Gran	39.600	2004
6. Stephanie Gran	39.575	2004
7. Alexis Maday	39.550 (2x)	2003-04
Stephanie Gran	39.550	2004
8. Kim Baker	39.525	1996
Giselle Boniforti	39.525	1998
Stephanie Gran	39.525 (2x)	2001, 04
Alexis Maday	39.525	2003
Jenifer Simbhudas	39.525	2009
Rebecca Simbhudas	39.525	2011
9. Alexis Maday	39.500	2001
Annie Rue	39.500	2002
Stephanie Gran	39.500	2003
10. Angel Metcalf	39.400	2015

DR. PATRICIA HICKS AWARD

Named for long-time women's team physician Pat Hicks, who died of cancer in November 1992. The recipient is a student-athlete who has succeeded in overcoming adversity and has shown perseverance and great strength of character.

Misti Blackledge 1994



The Barta family includes Connie, Madison, Gary and Luke.



GARY BARTA
ATHLETICS
DIRECTOR

Gary Barta enters his 10th year as the director of athletics at the University of Iowa riding momentum of record-setting performances in every leg of the three-legged stool by which the Iowa Hawkeyes approach each day: Win. Graduate. Do it Right.

A big picture view of the UI's success in the "Win" category is provided by a review of the Hawkeyes' performance

in the annual Learfield Sports Directors' Cup competition. The Hawkeyes completed the 2014-15 season with 535.50 points – the most points the UI has ever accumulated in the history of the competition. That point total resulted in a 44th place finish, the third-best recorded by the UI and its best since the 2004-05 athletics year.

UI student-athletes continued to attack their work in the classroom – the "Graduate" leg of the Hawkeyes' three-legged stool – with the same intensity as they pursue their opponents in competition: Iowa established a record for its NCAA Graduation Success Rate in 2014-15 while again achieving a perfect score in the NCAA's Annual Progress Report.

The "Do it Right" column was filled with successes as well. Under Barta's leadership, the Hawkeyes continued their significant service and contribution to the greater Iowa City area community, took a leadership position in matters related to student-athlete welfare, and remained among the handful of intercollegiate athletics programs nationally that successfully operate in the black while also maintaining its status as 100 percent self-supporting.

Iowa's success in competition was highlighted by another postseason appearance by the UI football program and deep postseason runs by the UI's wrestling, women's basketball, and men's gymnastics programs. The highlights include the following:

- The Iowa football team advanced to its 12th postseason bowl game under the leadership of Kirk Ferentz. Thirteen Hawkeyes were named All-Big Ten, including Brandon Scherff, who was named the Big Ten's Offensive Lineman of the Year, became Iowa's 22nd consensus All-American, and fourth Outland Trophy winner.
- Lisa Bluder's women's basketball team advanced to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Tournament for the first time under its longtime head coach during a brilliant 26-win season – a mark that included an 18-0 record in games played on Mediaworld Court in Carver-Hawkeye Arena – and its highest national ranking (11th) since the 1995-96 season. Iowa is one of 10 teams nationally that has appeared in the last eight NCAA Tournaments. Four Hawkeyes earned All-Big Ten honors, seven earned Academic All-Big Ten recognition, two garnered Academic All-America honors, and senior consensus All-American Samantha Logic became the second player in program history to be drafted in the first round of the WNBA Draft (10th selection, Atlanta Dream) and was the 12th to be drafted overall.
- Tom Brands' Iowa wrestling squad finished second at this year's NCAA Tournament after sharing the Big Ten Conference tournament title and claiming another dual meet championship with a 9-0 record against conference opponents. The Hawkeyes had six wrestlers earn All-American status.
- Fran McCaffery's men's basketball team registered the program's first NCAA Tournament victory since 2001. The season also included a big road win at North Carolina during the nonconference portion of the schedule, in addition to a third-place finish in the Big Ten Conference. Three Hawkeyes earned All-Big Ten honors, including first-team selection Aaron White, who also became the second Hawkeye in two years to be selected in the annual NBA Draft.
- Rick Heller's baseball program burst onto the national stage when it raced to its first appearance in a top 25 since 1990 – the program was 20th in the final rankings, the first appearance in the final poll in school history. The Hawkeyes won 41 games – the second-most all-time – en route to the program's first appearance in the NCAA Tournament in 25 years. Six Hawkeyes earned All-Big Ten honors, two Hawkeyes earned three All-America honors, and five players were selected in the 2015 Major League Baseball First-Year Player Draft.
- Under first-year head coach Tyler Stith, sophomore Carson Schaake became the third Big Ten individual champion in program history and the first since 1992.

Stith guided Iowa to its seventh straight NCAA Tournament appearance where the Hawkeyes finished a single stroke shy of advancing to the national championship. Two Hawkeyes earned All-Big Ten honors and three were named to the Division I PING All-Midwest Regional Team.

- Including Schaake of the UI's men's golf team, Iowa crowned eight Big Ten champions during the 2014-15 year: Dominic Patrick and Matt Hagan (men's tennis, indoor doubles), Babatunde Amosu (track and field, indoor, triple jump), Becky Stoughton (swimming and diving, 1,650-yard freestyle), Aaron Mallett (track and field, outdoor 110-meter hurdles), Elexis Guster (track and field, outdoor, 400-meters), and Amosu (track and field, outdoor, triple jump).

- Larissa Libby's GymHawks used a season-high score at the 2015 Big Ten Conference Women's Gymnastics Championship to help secure the program's seventh NCAA Regional berth in the last eight seasons. The team's score of 196.500 is the highest achieved by Iowa in conference championship action since 2004, and its fifth place team result is the program's best finish since 2010. A school record four gymnasts were named to the Big Ten All-Championship Team, four earned Academic All-Big Ten distinction, and senior Sydney Hoerr was named second team All-Big Ten.

- JD Reive's UI men's gymnastics squad made its second appearance in the NCAA championship in the last three seasons a grand one by upsetting fifth-ranked Illinois en route to a sixth-place national finish. The Hawkeyes were paced by junior Jack Boyle, who earned All-America honors on still rings, and season-high performances on the high bar and floor exercise. Eight Hawkeyes were named Academic All-Big Ten, and junior Doug Sullivan earned second team All-Big Ten honors.

- Joey Woody's debut season as head coach of the UI's men's and women's track and field teams resulted in four Big Ten titles and 11 All-America honors.

- Paced by a Big Ten champion and bolstered by eight record-setting performances at their conference championship meets, Marc Long's men's and women's swimming and diving teams closed their season by scoring points at their respective national championships.

- The 2014-15 year also marked the second straight season the Iowa's women's soccer team advanced to the championship game of the Big Ten Tournament. The Hawkeyes finished with 14 wins in 2014, including seven in conference play, tying the most in a single season in program history.

Iowa's "Wins" also occurred at the turnstiles, where the UI continued to lead the nation in attendance for home events of the Hawkeye wrestling program and be one of only eight programs in the country to rank in the Top 25 in attendance for football, women's basketball, and men's basketball. The UI also experienced sharp increases in spectator interest in baseball and volleyball in 2014-15.

The 2014-15 year opened with affirmation of Iowa's long-time commitment to the "Graduate" leg of Iowa's three-legged stool and the student-athlete experience at the UI. In October, the NCAA reported that Iowa's student-athletes had set a record by posting a score of 89 percent "Graduation Success Rate" or "GSR." That mark was one point better than the previous year and seven points better than the national average.

The NCAA also noted the UI had posted a federal graduation rate of 78 percent, which was also a record and in addition was 12 points better than the national average and tops among the three State of Iowa Board of Regents' institutions.

Last May, the NCAA reported that all 24 of Iowa's sports programs were comfortably above Academic Progress Rate (APR) threshold. The NCAA also singled out the UI's volleyball, soccer, women's swimming and diving, and men's golf teams for APR scores that ranked in the top 10 percent of their peer group. Of those four, volleyball, women's swimming and diving, and men's golf registered perfect scores of 1,000.

The 2014-15 college basketball season ended not only with the UI being one of a handful of institutions nationally which had both of its program participate in their national championship, but also with the UI being the only school in the country with multiple academic All-Americans: Samantha Logic and Ally Disterhoft in women's basketball and Mike Gesell in men's basketball. The Hawkeyes also boasted an academic

All-Americans in football (senior RB Mark Weisman), in addition to 153 academic All-Big Ten selections across its 24 sports programs.

"Doing it Right" for Barta and the more than 225 staff of the UI Athletics Department is a charge that encompasses a long and varied list of responsibilities, including maintaining the department's status as one of a handful of intercollegiate athletics programs nationally that successfully operates its sports programs and auxiliary enterprises in a fiscally responsible manner, and without any institutional or taxpayer financial support. The UI provides a superior experience for the more than 650 talented student-athletes who participate in the program annually, and the more than million friends and fans of the Hawkeyes and the UI who attend athletics events on the UI campus, while being responsible and productive citizens of the greater Iowa City and University of Iowa community.

In 2015-16, Barta will be responsible for an annual operating budget that will exceed \$90 million, with 100 percent of the revenue side of that budget be generated by the UI Athletics Department. The majority of that revenue will come as a result of success in traditional revenue sources: Income as a result of membership in the Big Ten Conference (including television), sales of tickets to events on the UI campus, and donations to the National I-Club.

The latter has grown into a critical piece of the financial pie managed by Barta, as evidenced by back-to-back years of record-setting fundraising support exceeding \$28 million annually. That philanthropic support has been critical to the a long list of athletics facilities that have either been built or renovated during Barta's first nine years on campus.

The list includes construction of the recently-completed \$55 million home of Iowa's football program, the Stew and LeNore Hansen Football Performance Center, \$47 million revitalization of Carver-Hawkeye Arena, installation of a new videowall and video ribbon board at Kinnick Stadium, installation of a new video scoreboard and playing surface at Duane Banks Field, construction of a new indoor turf facility, renovation of the practice space inside the UI Fieldhouse used by the UI's women's and men's gymnastics teams, construction of the Hoak Family Golf Facility, turf





replacement at Grant Field, the home of Iowa's nationally ranked field hockey program, and resurfacing of the Klotz Tennis Center, to name a few.

Iowa's contributions to the greater Iowa City community go far beyond the multi-million dollars of economic impact generated as a result of the staging of hundreds of regular season, postseason and special events annually. Barta and UI student-athletes, coaches, and staff are also active citizens, logging thousands of hours of community service and also spearheading efforts to support a wide variety of causes ranging from construction of the UI's new Children's Hospital to the UI's extremely successful Dance Marathon to Coaches vs. Cancer.

Iowa's annual "Day of Caring" serves as the foundation upon which all these outreach activities rest. Now in its 20th year of existence, the Day of Caring happens each April and typically involves representatives of most, if not all, of Iowa's sports programs who provide a wide variety of assistance to an equally wide variety of not-for-profit organizations that service the greater Iowa City community.

"Doing it Right" also encompasses efforts aimed at improving the student-athlete experience. The UI Athletics Department invested more than \$1.7 million directly into food cost for its student-athletes in 2014-15 in response to NCAA legislation aimed at providing a higher quality student-athlete experience. In 2015-16, that commitment will continue and will be complemented by increases to the value of the scholarships awarded the UI's student-athletes as part of the NCAA's effort to fully address cost of attendance.

Providing the resources for the UI's student-athletes and coaches to be successful is a priority for Barta and his senior management team. That process includes state-of-the-art facilities, which is why Barta enters the 2015-16 year working closely with institutional leadership on the finalization of a comprehensive master plan for the facilities available to the Hawkeyes.

The plan will include a comprehensive review of the north grandstand of historic Kinnick Stadium; study of the feasibility of a student-athlete dormitory and dining facility of the west side of the UI campus; a

comprehensive review of Carver-Hawkeye Arena including, specifically, the scoreboards and videowalls, the creation of a main entrance and "Wall of Honor" and other enhancements to the fan experience; Phase III of the revitalization of Duane Banks Field; a comprehensive review of Finkbine Golf Course and, specifically, the clubhouse; a comprehensive review of the Gerdin Athletics Learning Center; and, development of the "Hawkeye Campus" on the western edge of the UI campus, a project that could include new or renovated facilities for indoor and outdoor track and field, softball, volleyball, gymnastics, soccer, field hockey, and tennis.

Barta's involvement in the UI campus and the greater Iowa City communities extends beyond his position as director of the UI's intercollegiate athletics programs. He is a member of the President's Cabinet, comprised of vice presidents and other campus leaders that provide counsel to the UI's president. That group was instrumental in the UI's response to record-setting flooding that besieged the campus and the Iowa City and Coralville community in June 2008 and will be directly involved in positioning the UI for growth in the immediate and long-term future as the institution responds to the expectations of the residents of the state, members of the state legislature, and the State of Iowa Board of Regents.

Barta also represents the UI and the Hawkeyes at the conference and national level as a member of the Rose Bowl Management Committee and the College Football Playoff Advisory Committee. During his tenure at the UI, he has participated in the creation and implementation of the Big Ten Network, the expansion of the Big Ten Conference and realignment of athletics conferences nationally, and the Big Ten's postseason bowl game agreements that were successfully implemented in 2010.

Barta remains active on the conference and NCAA level. He is involved in committee work with NCAA Football, the Division IA Athletic Directors Association, and is an ongoing participant in the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA).

Barta is also involved in a variety of community groups, including the United Way of Johnson and Washington Counties and the Partnership for

Alcohol Safety, a joint effort between UI campus leaders and the city of Iowa City.

Barta often suggests to his staff that "Hope is not a strategy," which is why the department has completed a comprehensive review and rewriting of the strategic plan for the UI Athletics Department and continues to work with the UI's leadership on a long-term financial plan. As the director of athletics at the University of Wyoming for three years, seven different Wyoming coaches were named Mountain West Conference Coach of the Year. He also spearheaded a fund-raising effort that netted the Cowboy athletics program \$11 million in private support and \$11 million in matching state funds.

As the senior associate athletics director at the University of Washington, he directed the "Campaign for the Student-Athlete," was a participant in the design, construction and/or renovation of several Washington athletics facilities, including Bank of America Arena and the Dempsey Indoor Practice Facility. In addition to almost doubling the amount of annual private support received by Washington, Barta also managed the department's external relations division, a task that included corporate sponsorship and radio contracts.

His responsibilities at Washington expanded over time to include hiring of coaching and administrative staff, and the day-to-day oversight of several Huskie sport teams.

The roots of his development experience extend to his first two positions: director of development at his alma mater, North Dakota State University, and director of athletics development and external relations at the University of Northern Iowa.

Barta earned a bachelor of science degree in mass communication and broadcast journalism from North Dakota State in 1987. He was an option quarterback for Bison football squads that won the Division II NCAA National Championship in 1983, 1985, and 1986.

Barta, and his wife, Connie, have a son, Luke (17) and a daughter, Madison (15). He was born Sept. 4, 1963, in Minneapolis.

IOWA CONTINUES TO BUILD FOR SUCCESS

The UI Department of Athletics is under the direction of Gary Barta and is regarded as one of the top intercollegiate programs in the nation. Once again, the Hawkeyes enjoyed success both athletically and academically in 2014-15.

Academically, the UI's federal graduation rate of 78 percent (for student-athletes who enrolled in the fall of 2007), meaning UI student-athletes have graduated at a rate of 70 percent or better in five of the last six years. That mark was eight points better than the UI student body and 12 points better than achieved by student-athletes nationally. For the sixth consecutive year, all 24 of Iowa's teams exceeded the Academic Progress Rate (APR) benchmark and the program posted a record 89 percent in the NCAA's "Graduation Success Rate." That mark was one point better than last year's record-setting mark of 88 percent. It is the 10th time in 11 years of the GSR's existence that Iowa's student-athletes scored 80 percent or better.

Seven UI teams scored a perfect 100 on their GSR: Men's basketball, field hockey, men's golf, women's golf, softball, men's tennis, women's tennis, and volleyball. All counted, the GSR for 18 of Iowa's 24 teams was better than the national average among its peer sport group.

Athletically, Hawkeye teams enjoyed another outstanding year in 2014-15, as a significant number of Iowa's 24 programs reached postseason play. Iowa finished in 44th place in the 2014-15 Learfield Cup. The Iowa football team played in the 2015 Tax Slayer Bowl, the UI men's basketball team advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the second year in a row, the women's basketball team competed in the NCAA Tournament for the eighth straight season and advanced to the Sweet 16, the wrestling team finished second at the NCAA Championships, the baseball team advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 1990, and the men's golf team advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the seventh consecutive year.

The second phase of the Duane Banks Field renovation was completed in 2015 when AstroTurf replaced the outfield grass and warning track. The infield was changed to the surface prior to the 2014 season meaning there is now zero dirt or natural grass at the Hawkeyes' home venue. Phase II renovations also included the installation of a state-of-the-art videoboard in left center field and a new padded wall on the outfield fence and down the foul lines. With the first two phases complete, Phase III calls for brand new stadium seating and a new press box to be constructed surrounding the existing playing field.

After completing phase I of the project for the UI football program in August, 2012 — a new indoor practice facility — the second phase was finished last fall. Phase II includes construction of the new Iowa Football Operations Center, which includes new team locker rooms, team meeting rooms, athletic medical training space, video operations, and coaches offices and meeting rooms. Funded entirely through private support and revenue generated by the UI Athletics Department, the project is an important phase of the master facilities plan for Hawkeye football.

IOWA FOOTBALL

The Iowa football team posted a 7-6 record in 2014, which included a berth in the 2015 TaxSlayer Bowl. The Hawkeyes placed fourth in the Big Ten's Legends Division.

IOWA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

UI head coach Lisa Bluder guided the Hawkeye women's basketball team to their eighth-straight NCAA Tournament in 2014-15. The Hawkeyes advanced to the Sweet 16 following opening-round victories over American and Miami (Florida) in Iowa City, giving them a perfect 18-0 record at home. The Hawkeyes fell to Baylor in the Sweet 16 and finished 26-8 overall. Iowa is the only Big Ten team to appear in eight consecutive NCAA tournaments and one of 10 schools nationally. Guard Samantha Logic became the second Hawkeye in program history to be drafted in the first round of the WNBA Draft.

Iowa was one of eight schools nationally to make a bowl game in football, advance to the men's and women's basketball NCAA Tournaments, and play in an NCAA Regional in baseball.



IOWA WRESTLING

The Hawkeyes finished the 2014-15 season with a Big Ten regular season title, a co-Big Ten championship, six All-Americans, and nine academic All-Big Ten honorees. The Hawkeyes owned an overall record of 17-1, won at least a share of the Big Ten regular season title for the seventh time in the last eight seasons, and took home an NCAA team trophy for the eighth straight season, the longest active streak in the country.

IOWA WOMEN'S SOCCER

In Dave Dilanni's first season as head coach of the Iowa soccer team, the Hawkeyes won 14 contests, their third and fourth postseason games in program history, while earning an appearance in the Big Ten Tournament Championship Game for a second consecutive season. Seniors Cloe Lacasse and Melanie Pickert became the first pair of Hawkeyes in program history to be named first-team All-Big Ten in the same season, and just the second and third Hawkeyes all-time to garner first-team recognition.

IOWA MEN'S BASKETBALL

Fifth-year head coach Fran McCaffery led Iowa to its third-straight 20-win season and guided the team to the NCAA Tournament for the second year in a row. Iowa picked up its first NCAA Tournament victory since 2001 after defeating Davidson in the round of 64. Senior Aaron White earned first-team All-Big Ten recognition and became the second Hawkeye since 2007 to have his name called in the NBA Draft when he was selected by the Washington Wizards in the second round.

IOWA MEN'S GOLF

First-year head coach Tyler Stith led the Hawkeyes to their seventh-straight NCAA Regional appearance in 2015. Three student-athletes garnered all-region honors, including sophomores Carson Schaake and Raymond Knoll who were also named first and second-team All-Big Ten honorees. Schaake was crowned co-champion at the Big Ten Tournament, becoming just the third Hawkeye all-time and first since 1992 to accomplish the feat.

IOWA BASEBALL

Iowa finished the 2015 season with a 41-18 overall record — the second most wins in a single season in program history. The Hawkeyes advanced to their fourth NCAA Tournament (first since 1990), going 2-2 to post Iowa's first NCAA Tournament win since 1972. Iowa had a pair of student-athletes garner three All-America distinctions in addition to having a school-record six student-athletes earn All-Big Ten recognition in 2015. Iowa had five players selected in the 2015 MLB Draft.

DID YOU KNOW...

45.7 percent of UI students are from out of state

25 University of Iowa graduate programs and colleges ranked among the top 25 in the nation.

-U.S. News & World Report's America's Best Graduate Schools, 2015

With over 31,000 students in a city of roughly 75,000, UI offers a different atmosphere than many other universities in the Big Ten or the Midwest.

The unemployment rate in Iowa City (2.7 %) ranks among the nations' lowest. (May, 2015).

Building on a rich tradition of excellence and innovation, the University of Iowa is educating more than 30,000 students annually, preparing them for success immediately following graduation, as well as continued achievements throughout their lives.

The University of Iowa offers more than 100 areas of undergraduate and graduate study, including seven professional degree programs, through its 11 colleges: the colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Business, Dentistry, Education, Engineering, Law, Medicine, Nursing, Pharmacy and Public Health, and the Graduate College. The University also provides on-campus and distance learning opportunities through its division of Continuing Education.

Long recognized as one of the nation's leading centers for the arts, creative writing, space physics, hydraulics, basic health and science research, and communication studies, the University of Iowa is also developing new strengths in informatics, nanoscience, simulation technology, and other fields.

The University of Iowa has maintained its tradition as an innovator with its pioneering work in speech pathology, science and medicine. It's also known internationally for being home of one of the nation's largest public university owned hospitals.

Cultural DIVERSITY at the University of Iowa

The University of Iowa has worked hard to assure that students of all races, creeds, and backgrounds are represented in the student body. In the past five years, Iowa has moved aggressively towards its goal of creating communities of African American, Hispanic/Latino (a), Asian American, and Native American students, and making the University a stimulating, welcoming place.

The Center for Diversity and Enrichment is a coordinated university-wide resource for creating and maintaining this campus diversity

and providing opportunities for all University students interested in other cultures. Scholarships, fellowships, and support programs help to make this possible. International Programs brings together scholars from around the world and UI students looking to expand their perspectives by studying abroad or exploring global issues on campus. International students at the University of Iowa represent more than 100 countries.

How the University of Iowa Measures Up

"Designated as a "best buy" 10 years in a row " — *Fiske Guide to the Colleges*, 2015

One of the top 30 public institutions in the country *U.S. News & World Report*, 2015

Ranked #121 on "Best Global Universities" list (*U.S. News & World Report Global Rankings*, 2014)

"Professors make themselves accessible and possess a genuine interest in students' experiences," — *Insider's Guide to the Colleges*, 2012

25 University of Iowa graduate programs and colleges ranked among the top 25 in the nation — *U.S. News & World Report's America's Best Graduate Schools*, 2016

University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics ranked as one of "America's Best Hospitals" — *U.S. News & World Report*, 2012

One of the top five college towns in America among cities under 250,000 — *American Institute for Economic Research, College Destination Index*, 2010-11



CONSIDER THE COMMUNITY

Some universities offer the large city atmosphere. Others offer the college town experience. The University of Iowa is uniquely situated to offer student athletes the very best of both of these different worlds.

Once the state capital, Iowa City is considered one of the truly great college towns in America. The city swells with excitement on game day when nearly 16,000 Hawkeye fans from across the state and Midwest converge on Carver-Hawkeye Arena to cheer the Hawkeyes to another victory.

Iowa City's downtown area is alive and thriving. Restaurants, shops and sidewalk cafes face onto pedestrian malls full of people watchers, street entertainers and food vendors.

Attractive in size and friendliness, Iowa City is big in the sense that it offers all the advantages and conveniences of much larger metropolitan areas like summer and permanent employment opportunities, live entertainment and concerts, fine dining and shopping, industry and commerce.

Iowa City is located in the heart of eastern Iowa, within easy driving distance of several major Midwestern cities including the state capital, Des Moines, as well as Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Minneapolis and Milwaukee.



"Iowa City is unlike any other place in the state, both because of its regional beauty and because of its independent, serendipitous spirit."

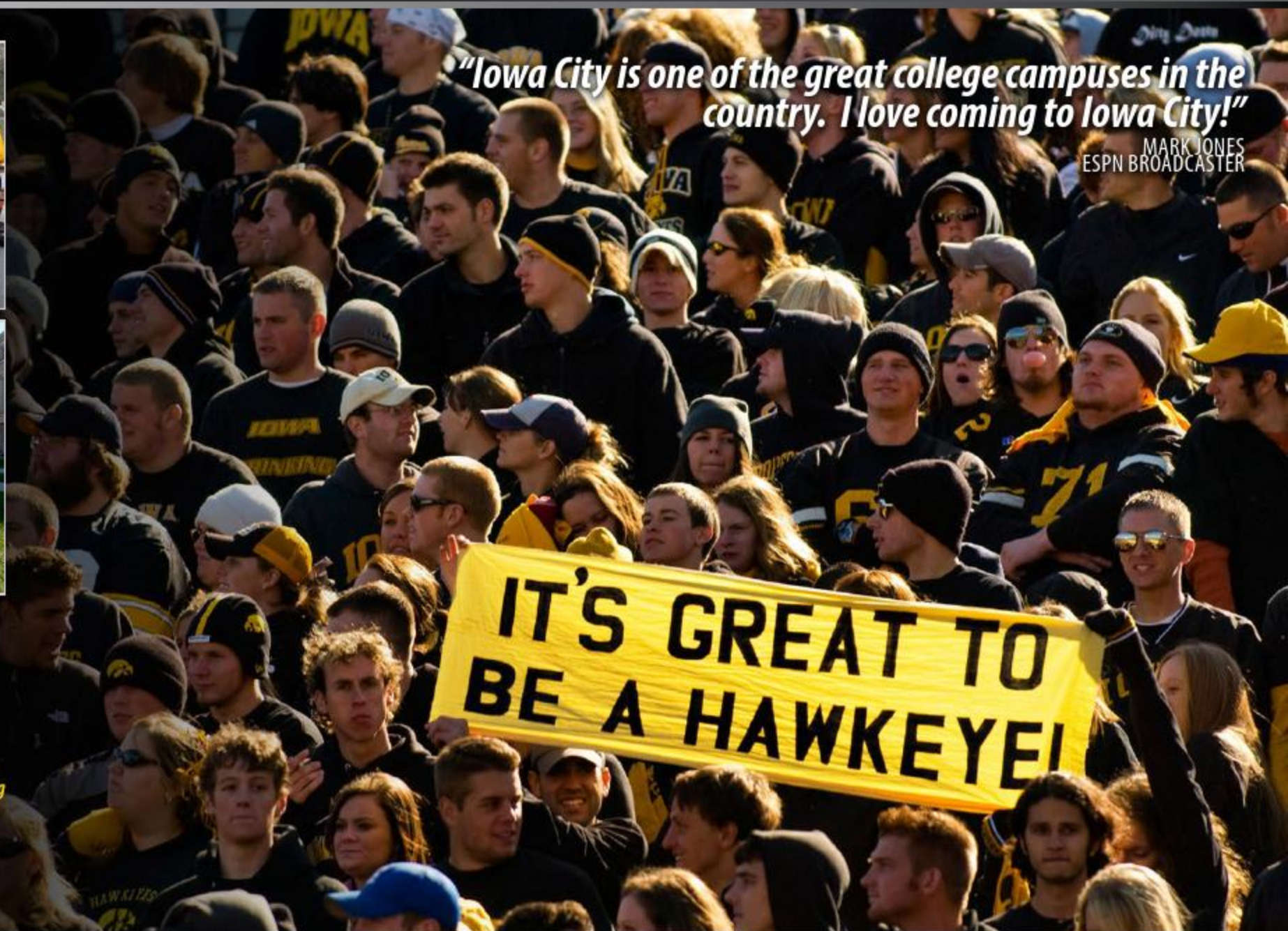
"There's nothing like feeling the crisp air as one tours the Big Ten campus, just as there's no other feeling like walking the shores along Lake MacBride, north of town. This is an ideal location for a weekend trip filled with sights, sounds, shopping and plenty of activities on any given weekend."

"If there is a star in Iowa, Iowa City is it."

DES MOINES SUNDAY REGISTER

"Iowa City is one of the great college campuses in the country. I love coming to Iowa City!"

MARK JONES
ESPN BROADCASTER



“Move to Iowa City. Some of the happiest people in the world live in Iowa City.”

CHRISTOPHER KEYES

EDITOR | MIDWEST MAGAZINE | AUGUST, 2007



**IOWA CITY:
THE BEST PLACE TO LIVE**

- Named best U.S. city to live in for college graduates *Huffington Post*, May 2015
- #1 employment destination for college graduates (*American Institute for Economic Research*, 2015)
- #8 “Top 30 Small Cities” *Area Development Magazine*, June 2015
- UI Hospitals and Clinics ranked as the #12 best employer in the U.S. and #1 in the health care industry *Forbes Magazine*, 2015
- 25 years on list of “America’s Best Hospitals” *U.S. News & World Report*, 2014
- Iowa City is ranked the #4 college town in America - *American Institute for Economic Research*, 2014
- #47 on livability.com’s list of best places to live (2014)
- Named a top-10 college town by Livability.com, Aug., 2013
- The Iowa City Public Library is #5 on the “Top 10 Libraries for Children” list - *Livability.com*, 2012
- One of the Top 25 “Best Places to Retire and Work” - *Forbes*, 2012
- UI Hospitals and Clinics ranked top hospital in Iowa; nine UIHC programs rated among the best in the U.S. - *US News and World Report*, 2012
- Iowa City West and City High ranked among the best high schools in the country - *Newsweek*, 2012
- Johnson County is ranked third nationally in the “Fourth Economy Index,” April, 2012
- Iowa City ranks 8th out of 179 on best performing small cities list *“Milken Institute,”* October 2011
- Iowa City named third-best major metropolitan area in the country for college students *“American Institute for Economic Research,”* August 2011
- Iowa City ranks 3rd for volunteer rate (mid-sized cities) - *“Volunteering in America,”* Corporation for National & Community Service, August 2011
- “Top Towns for Jobs,” *MSN CareerBuilder*, January 2010
- No. 5 “Best Places to Begin a Career” Metros Under 500,000, *Forbes Magazine*, July, 2010
- Iowa ranks 9th in the nation for number of state parks, recreational areas and natural areas *CQ Press*, 2010
- Iowa ranks 10th in safest neighborhoods in the U.S. - *CQ Press*, 2010
- Iowa has the 3rd-highest public high school graduation rate in the U.S. - *CQ Press*, 2010
- Iowa City is ranked as one of America’s Top 100 Adventure Cities *National Geographic Adventure*, October 2009
- No. 13 “Top College Towns for Jobs” *Forbes Magazine*, May 2009
- *Sperling’s Best Places*, March 2007
- Iowa City/Coralville/North Liberty named an Iowa Great Place *Iowa Department of Cultural Affairs*, October 2009
- Iowa has over 1400 miles of trails for hiking and biking within its state parks and recreational areas *Iowa Department of Transportation*
- One of 50 “Best Places to Live and Play” *National Geographic Adventure*
- #18 among the top 25 green cities in the country *Country Home*
- Healthiest Town in the United States *Men’s Journal*



A CAMPUS ON THE MOVE

The University of Iowa campus caters to pedestrians and bicyclists; it's compact enough to cross in a 20-minute walk. A free ride on a campus bus can cut that time in half. Entertainment on campus and in Iowa City is geared toward student budgets, with many events offered at no charge. The University of Iowa offers more than 400 student organizations, extensive recreation facilities, 50 fraternities and sororities, and a broad schedule of arts performances, lectures, cultural celebrations and club sports and intramural athletic contests to go along with the intercollegiate competition within the Big Ten Conference.

STUDENT-ORIENTED NIGHT LIFE

Iowa's campus is set right in the city's downtown area, where you'll find dance clubs, movies, coffeehouses, and restaurants to suit every taste. Live music can be found any night of the week in clubs and restaurants, even outside on warm evenings on the downtown pedestrian mall. Iowa City businesses are convenient and geared toward student tastes and needs.





CONSIDER THE OPPORTUNITY FOR A QUALITY EDUCATION

A quality education is one of the highest priorities at the University of Iowa. Just over 90 percent of Johnson County residents have graduated from high school, and in Iowa City nearly half of all residents have earned bachelor's degrees. In fact, census statistics indicate Johnson County is the 10th "smartest" county in the nation, based on percentage of residents holding bachelor's degrees.

The University of Iowa represents a strong presence in the community while enhancing the quality of life in Iowa City.

Your aspiration may be a career in medicine, law or education. Regardless of the specific career field, it's important to identify the college baseball program that places a high priority on academics and allows you to take full advantage of the tremendous educational opportunities available.

At the University of Iowa, student-athletes learn quickly that academic success is the highest priority.

ATHLETICS AND ACADEMICS

At The University of Iowa, a strong relationship has been developed between athletics and academics, where coaches and athletes work hand-in-hand with academic deans and professors, assuring the student-athlete the best possible opportunities to excel in the classroom and in athletics.

From the first visit for any prospective student-athlete, to the completion of their academic and athletic career at Iowa, academic personnel play a large role in the career of Hawkeye student-athletes. Beginning with the on-campus visits, student-athletes are introduced to professors in their selected field of study, and are able to establish a relationship and develop an understanding of the academic setting in which they will be involved.





THE RUSSELL AND ANN GERDIN ATHLETIC LEARNING CENTER

The University of Iowa Russell and Ann Gerdin Athletic Learning Center opened in the fall of 2003. The Learning Center is a multi-level, 20,000-square foot facility, which provides one all-purpose area for the academic pursuits for Iowa's male and female student-athletes. The facility is centrally located on the UI campus for easy access by all student-athletes and staff.

The Learning Center features an auditorium, two classrooms, study lounges for freshmen and upper-class student-athletes, a computer lab, a teaching lab, the athletic library, office space for Iowa's Academic Student Services staff and a display area to recognize the academic accomplishments of Iowa's student-athletes.



When a student-athlete considers his future, he should consider prospects beyond baseball. He should consider where he wants to be five, ten, fifteen years from today, and the best course of action for getting there. Also, he should decide early on to commit to excellence in every challenge undertaken.

Without a doubt, the men and women listed here took time to consider their future and the ways to get there. These former University of Iowa undergraduates have gone on to become leaders in their chosen fields. They also pursued their academic studies as strongly as the Iowa Hawkeyes go after a loose ball or rebound.

BUSINESS

Leland C. Adams
Former president, Amoco Production Co.

B.J. Armstrong, Iowa Letterman, 1986-89
Vice-President of Basketball, Wasserman Media Group
NBA All-Star, 1994
Three-time NBA Champion, Chicago Bulls

John J. Balles
Former president, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

Matthew Bucksbaum
Former CEO & Founder
General Growth Properties

Arthur A. Collins
Founder, Collins Radio (Rockwell Collins)

Kathleen A. Dore
President, CanWest Media Works, Toronto, Canada
Former Executive vice president and general manager,
Bravo Television Network & the Independent Film Channel

John W. English
Former vice president and chief investment officer, Ford Foundation

Nolden Gentry
Iowa Letterman, '58, '59, '60
Attorney, Brick, Gentry, Bowers, Swartz, Stoltz, Scheling and Lewis
Des Moines, IA

Leonard Hadley
Former chairman and CEO, Maytag Corporation

H. John Hawkinson
Former president and director of funds,

Kemper Financial Services Inc.

Richard O. Jacobson
President, Jacobson Warehouse Co.

Bill Krause
President, Krause Gentle Corp.

Richard Levitt
Chairman & CEO, Nellis Corporation

Frank N. Magid
President, Frank N. Magid Associates, Inc.,
Pioneer in market research and media consultation

John Pappajohn
Venture capitalist, entrepreneur;
President, Equity Dynamics, Inc.

Gary Seamans
Chairman and CEO, Westell Technologies, Aurora, Ill.

Luther Smith
Aerospace Engineer, pilot
Member, Tuskegee Airmen, 1942
World War II Purple Heart and Prisoner of War Medal

Henry B. Tippie
Director, Rollins, Inc.
Chairman of the Board, Dover Motorsports & Dover Downs Entertainment

EDUCATION

Joseph N. Crowley
President, University of Nevada at Reno and former NCAA president

R. Wayne Duke
Former commissioner, Big Ten Conference
E.F. Lindquist
Co-founder, American College Testing (ACT) Program

John B. McLendon
First African-American coach inducted into

The Basketball Hall of Fame

Eddie Robinson
Legendary football coach, Grambling State University

Wilbur Schramm
International authority on communications and founder, Iowa Writers' Workshop

Richard Schultz
Executive Director, United States Olympic Committee;
Former Executive Director, NCAA

James Van Allen
World famous space physicist who discovered two radiation belts (the Van Allen Belts) that orbit the earth

ENTERTAINMENT

Diablo Cody
Best Original Screenplay Oscar Award for Juno

Michele M. Crider
Recognized worldwide as a leading soprano
Has performed in all of Europe's major opera houses

Simon Estes
International opera star

John Falsey
Executive producer of television's "Northern Exposure" & "I'll Fly Away"

Jim Foster
Iowa Letterman
Founder and Innovator, Arena Football

Al Jarreau
Grammy Award-winning singer

Mark Johnson
Film producer and Oscar Award winner for Rainman

Alex Karras
Former NFL All-Pro, Detroit Lions; actor, Victor,

Victoria; Blazing Saddles; "Webster"

Barry Kemp
Television producer, creator of the hit series "Coach"

Shirley Rich Krohn
Casting director for Kramer vs. Kramer, Three Days of the Condor, Taps, Saturday Night Fever

Ashton Kutcher
Television and film actor

Richard Maibaum
Writer of James Bond motion picture scripts

Nicholas Meyer
Film writer and director whose film credits include Time After Time, The Seven Per-Cent Solution and Star Trek II, IV and VI

David Milch
Creator, Hill Street Blues, NYPD Blue and other television series
Three-time Emmy Award recipient
Founder, Redboard Productions

Marian Rees
Producer of television films
Owner, Marian Rees and Associates

Brandon Routh
Actor, Superman

Gene Wilder
Actor, Silver Streak, Young Frankenstein, Stir Crazy

GOVERNMENT

David Bonior
U.S. House of Representatives, Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Terry Branstad
Governor, state of Iowa

General Charles A. Horner
Architect of the US air war against Iraq during the Persian Gulf War/Desert Storm

Alan Larson
Assistant to Secretary of State for Economic, Business, and Agricultural Affairs

Ruth Van Roekel McGregor
Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court, 2005 recipient, American Judicature Society's Dwight D. Opperman Award for Judicial Excellence

Trudy Huskamp Peterson
Acting Archivist of the United State, 1993-95

Mary Louise Smith
Noted political party leader and civil rights proponent

Juanita Kidd Stout
First African-American woman elected to a state Supreme Court

LITERATURE

Marvin Bell
Iowa Poet Laureate
UI Writers Workshop faculty member and mentor from 1965 until retirement in 2005

Mildred Wirt Benson
Author of 23 Nancy Drew mysteries and first woman to receive master's degree in journalism at Iowa

T.C. Boyle
Author of 11 Novels & eight short story collections
Winner of numerous literary awards, including

five O. Henry Awards

Max Allan Collins
Writer of the comic strip Dick Tracy, 1977-92
American mystery writer, including the graphic novel Road to Perdition

Paul Engle
Poet
Founder of the University of Iowa's International Writing Program
Director of the Iowa Writer's Workshop (1941-65)

John Irving
Writer, The World According to Garp; A Son of the Circus; Hotel New Hampshire; A Prayer for Owen Meany

W.P. Kinsella
Writer, Shoeless Joe

Margaret Walker
Writer, Jubilee

MEDIA

Alan Abelson
Editor, Barron's

Tom Brokaw
Former anchorman, NBC News

Paul Burmeister
Iowa Letterman, 1992-93
Sports anchor/reporter
The NFL Network

John Cochran
Correspondent, ABC News

Paul Conrad
Political cartoonist and three-time winner of the Pulitzer Prize

Wayne Drehs
General assignment writer, espn.com

Brett Dolan
Broadcaster, Houston Astros

George Gallup
Founder, The Gallup Poll

Charles Guggenheim
Documentary filmmaker, Peabody and Oscar award winner

Milo Hamilton
50 years in Broadcasting
Voice of the Houston Astros

Harry Kalas
Broadcaster, Philadelphia Phillies

Bob Miller
Broadcaster, Los Angeles Kings

Herbert Nipson
Executive Editor, Ebony

Brian Ross
Correspondent, NBC News; Peabody and Emmy award winner

Mark Shapiro
Former Vice-President, ESPN

Carole Simpson
Anchor, ABC News

MEDICINE

Dr. Nancy Andreasen
Psychiatrist renowned for her research on schizophrenia, as well as creativity

James Bramson
Executive Director, American Dental Association

Dr. Johann L. Ehrenhaft
Pioneer in field of open heart surgery

Dr. Robert C. Hardin
Developed blood bank protocols during WW II based on seminal work on blood preservation

Dr. Don H. O'Donoghue
Sports medicine pioneer

Dr. Emory D. Warner
World recognized pathologist

FIRST ADVANCED DEGREES IN THE UNITED STATES

African-Americans who received advanced degrees from the University of Iowa, who were also the first in the United States to receive that particular degree:

Alexander Clark, Jr.
1879, law degree

Elizabeth Catlett
1940, master's in art

Lulu Johnson
1941, Ph.D. in history

Oscar Anderson Fuller
1942, Ph.D. in music

Lilia Ann Abron
1972, Ph.D. in chemical engineering

Lisa Portis
1989, Ph.D. in pharmacology



JUANITA KIDD STOUT
First African-American woman elected to a state Supreme Court



NOLDEN GENTRY
Attorney



JOHN PAPPAJOHN
Entrepreneur



TOM BROKAW
Former Anchorman, NBC News



DON NELSON
Head Coach, Golden State Warriors



MARK SHAPIRO
Former Executive Vice-President, ESPN



EDDIE ROBINSON
Former Football Coach
Grambling State University



THE HAWKEYE NICKNAME

The University of Iowa borrowed its athletic nickname from the state of Iowa many years ago. The name Hawkeye was originally the name of the hero in the fictional novel, *The Last of the Mohicans*, written by James Fenimore Cooper. Cooper had the Delaware Indians bestow the name on a white scout who lived with them.

In 1838, 12 years after the book was published, people in the territory of Iowa acquired the nickname, chiefly through the efforts of Judge David Rorer of Burlington and James Edwards of Fort Madison.

Edwards, editor of the Fort Madison Patriot, moved his paper to Burlington in 1843 and renamed it the Burlington Hawkeye. The two men continued their campaign to popularize the name, and territorial officials eventually gave it their formal approval.

HERKY THE HAWKEYE

The Hawkeye nickname gained a tangible symbol in 1948 when a cartoon character, later to be named Herky the Hawkeye was hatched. The creator was Richard Spencer III, instructor of journalism at Iowa.

The impish Hawk was an immediate hit and acquired a name through a statewide contest staged by the athletic department. John Franklin, a Belle Plaine alumnus, was the man who suggested Herky.

Since his birth more than 45 years ago, Herky has symbolized Iowa athletics and epitomized University life. He even donned a military uniform during the Korean War and became the insignia of the 124th Fighter Squadron.

During the mid-1950s, Herky came to life at a football game as the Iowa mascot. Since that time, Herky has been a familiar figure at Iowa athletics events.

HOTELS/MOTELS

Alexis Park Inn and Suites, 1165 S. Riverside Drive, Iowa City	337-8665
Amana Colonies Holiday Inn, I-80, Exit 225, Amana	688-1175
Americinn, 2597 Holiday Road, Coralville	625-2400
Baymont Inn & Suites, 200 6th Street, Coralville	337-9797
Best Western Cantebury Inn, 704 1st Ave., Coralville	351-0400
Big Ten Inn, 707 1st Ave., Coralville	351-6131
Candlewood Suites, 2491 Holiday Road, Coralville	625-2200
Clarion Highlander Hotel & Conference Center, 2525 N. Dodge St., Iowa City	354-2000
Comfort Inn and Suites, 2431 James Street, Coralville	338-3400
Comfort Inn, 209 9th St., Coralville	351-8144
Country Inn and Suites by Carlson, 2571 Heartland Place, Coralville	545-8464
Days Inn, 205 2nd Street, Coralville	354-4400
Fairfield Inn, 214 9th Street, Coralville	337-8382
Hampton Inn, 1200 1st Ave., Coralville	351-6600
Hampton Inn, 4 Sturgis Corner Drive, Iowa City	339-8000
Heartland Inn, 87 2nd Street, Coralville	351-8132

RESTAURANTS

30hop, 900 E. 2nd Ave., Coralville	351-3800
Agave Bar & Grill, 2781 Oakdale Blvd., Coralville	665-2524
Airliner, 22 S. Clinton, Iowa City	351-9259
Applebee's, 200 12th St., Coralville	358-1986
Atlas World Grill, 127 Iowa Ave., Iowa City	341-7700
Backpocket Brewing, 903 Quarry Road, Coralville	466-4444
Bandana's Bar-B-Q, 807 1st Ave., Coralville	512-6444
Basta, 121 Iowa Avenue, Iowa City	337-2010
Blackstone, 502 Westbury Drive, Suite 1, Iowa City	338-1770
Bluebird Diner, 330 E. Market St., Iowa City	351-1470
Bo-James, 118 E. Washington St., Iowa City	337-4703
Bobby's Live on 965, Hwy. 965, North Liberty	665-4800
Bob's Your Uncle Pizza Café, 2208 N. Dodge St., Iowa City	331-7400
Bread Garden Bakery & Café, 224 S. Clinton, Iowa City	354-4246
Brothers Bar & Grill, 125 W. Dubuque, Iowa City	338-6373
Bruegger's Bagel Bakery, 404 1st Avenue, Coralville	337-2243
Buffalo Wild Wings, 201 Clinton Street, Iowa City	887-9464
Buffalo Wild Wings, 2500 Corridor Way, Coralville	338-9464
Carl and Ernie's Good Time Pub and Grub, 161 Hwy. 1 West, Iowa City	337-4422
Carlos O'Kelly's, 1411 S. Waterfront Drive, Iowa City	354-5800
Charlotte's, 745 Community Drive, North Liberty	626-2295
Cheddars, 2824 Commerce Drive, Coralville	545-3131
Chili's, 2651 2nd St., Coralville	351-1488

Holiday Inn Express, 970 25th Ave., Coralville	625-5000
Holiday Inn, 1200 1st Ave., Coralville	351-5049
Homewood Suites by Hilton, 921 E. 2nd Ave., Coralville	338-3410
Hotel Vetro Studio Suites, 201 S. Linn St., Iowa City, IA	337-4961
Iowa House Hotel, 121 Iowa Memorial Union, Iowa City	335-3513
Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, 300 East 9th Street, Coralville	688-4000
Quality Inn, 209 W. 9th Street, Coralville	351-8144
Residence Inn, 2681 James Street, Coralville	338-6000
Riverside Golf Resort, 3184 Hwy. 22, Riverside, IA	648-1234
Sheraton Iowa City Hotel, 210 S. Dubuque St., Iowa City	337-4058
Sleep Inn and Suites, 485 Madison Ave., N., North Liberty	665-2700
Suburban Extended Stay Hotel, 2491 Holiday Road, Coralville	625-2200
Super 8 Motel, 611 1st Ave., Coralville	337-8388
The Hotel at Kirkwood Center, 7725 Kirkwood Blvd. SW, Cedar Rapids	848-8700
Travel Lodge, 2216 N. Dodge St., Iowa City	351-1010

Chipotle Mexican grill, 201 S. Clinton Street, #12, Iowa City	338-1194
Chop House, 223 E. Washington St., Iowa City	359-1078
Colony Inn Restaurant, 741 47th Ave., Amana	622-6270
Culvers Frozen Custard, 2591 Heartland Place, Coralville	545-8255
Divot's Bar and Grill, 1900 Country Club Drive, Coralville	248-9303
Donnelley's, 110 E. College Street, Iowa City	338-7355
Edgewater Grille, 300 E. 9th Street, Coralville	887-5018
El Dorado, 102 Second Street, Coralville	688-5237
El Rancho, 21 Sturgis Drive, Iowa City	338-4324
Flannigan's Bar & Grill, 501 1st Ave., Coralville	351-1904
Givanni's Café, 109 E. College St., Iowa City	338-5967
Graze, 115 E. College Street, Iowa City	887-5477
Gus' Food & Spirits, 2421 Coral Court, Coralville	545-4290
Hamburg Inn, 214 N. Linn St., Iowa City	337-5512
House of Lords Restaurant & Pub, 704 1st Ave., Coralville	351-0400
HuHot Mongolian Grill, 917 25th Ave., Coralville	358-9100
Hunan Restaurant, 118 2nd St., Coralville	338-8886
IHOR, 2435 James Street, Coralville	248-1122
Iowa River Power Company, 501 1st Ave., Coralville	351-1904
Jimmy Jack's Rib Shack, 1940 Lower Muscatine Road, Iowa City	354-7427
Joseph's Steakhouse, 212 S. Clinton St., Iowa City	358-0776
Konomi, 843 Quarry Road, #140, Coralville	351-2290
Kyodai Japanese Grill, 575 Cameron Way, North Liberty	626-2111

La Cava Mexican Restaurant, 1810 Coral St., Coralville	358-2324
Linn Street Café, 121 N. Linn St., Iowa City	337-7370
Longhorn Steak House, 2671 James Street, Coralville	338-2011
Micky's Irish Pub, 11 S. Dubuque St., Iowa City	338-6860
Midtown Family Restaurant, 1069 Hwy. 1, Iowa City	351-9323
Mill Restaurant, 120 E. Burlington Street, Iowa City	351-9529
Mondo's Tomato Pie, 516 E. 2nd St., Coralville	337-3000
Monicas, 302 2nd Street, Coralville	338-7400
Okoboji Grill, 1857 Lower Muscatine Rd., Iowa City	248-1155
Old Capitol Brew Works & Public House, 525 S. Gilbert St., Iowa City	337-3422
Old Chicago, 78 Second Street, Coralville	248-1220
Olive Garden, 925 25th Ave., Coralville	339-9100
Otis Tailgators, 450 1st Ave., Coralville	356-6914
Ox Yoke Inn, 4420 220 Trail, Amana	1-800-233-3441
Pagliai's Pizza, 302 E. Bloomington St., Iowa City	351-5073
Pancho's Mexican Grill, 901 25th Ave., Coralville	248-3256
Pancho's Mexican Grill, 965 S. Riverside Drive, Iowa City	887-2600
Pancho's Mexican Grill, 32 S. Clinton, Iowa City	338-6311
Quinton's Bar & Deli, 215 E. Washington, Iowa City	354-7074
Quinton's Bar & Deli, 2500 Corridor Way, Ste. 5, Coralville	625-2221
Red Lobster, 2671 2nd Street, Coralville	338-6400
Red Pepper Deli and Grill, 517 S. Riverside Drive, Iowa City	337-5270
Red's Ale House, 515 S. Dubuque St., North Liberty	626-2100
River City Beefstro, 1210 1st Ave., Coralville	351-1551

Rocky O'Brien's Public House, 720 Pacha Pkwy., Ste. 8, North Liberty	665-2010
The Saloon, 112 E. College St., Iowa City	354-3837
Sam's Pizza, 441 S. Gilbert St., Iowa City	337-8200
Sanctuary Restaurant & Pub, 405 S. Gilbert St., Iowa City	351-5692
Short's Burger and Shine, 18 S. Clinton St., Iowa City	337-4678
Short's Burgers East Side, 521 Westbury Drive, Iowa City	338-7743
Sports Column, 12 S. Dubuque Street, Iowa City	356-6902
Steak and Shake, 2806 Commerce Drive, Coralville	545-5472
Stella, 1006 Melrose Ave., Iowa City	887-5564
Summit Restaurant & Bar, 10 S. Clinton St., Iowa City	354-7482
Sushi Popo, 725 Mormon Trek Blvd., Iowa City	338-7676
Takanami, 219 Iowa Avenue, Iowa City	351-5125
Teddy's Bigger Burgers, 324 E. Washington St., Iowa City	354-6888
Texas Road House, 2520 Corridor Way, Coralville	354-3489
The Three Samurai, 1801 2nd St., Coralville	337-3340
Two Dogs Pub, 1705 W. 1st Ave., Iowa City	337-9047
Vesta, 849 Quarry Road, Coralville	338-3782
Vine Tavern, 330 E. Prentiss St., Iowa City	354-8767
Vine Tavern & Eatery, 39 2nd St., Coralville	338-7770
Vito's Italian American Restaurant, 118 E. College St., Iowa City	338-1393
Which Wich, 925 25th Ave., Coralville	354-9424
Which Wich, 23 S. Dubuque Street, Iowa City	337-9424
Wig and Pen Pizza Pub, 1220 Hwy. 6 West, Coralville	354-2767
Wildwood Smokehouse & Saloon, 4919 B Walleye Drive, Iowa City	338-2211